

## POST-SCRIPTS

By  
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"But let a man know that there are things to be known, of which he is ignorant, and it is so much carved out of his domain of universal knowledge."

Dr. William Mather Lewis resigns as president of George Washington university to become president of Lafayette college. It has a better football team.

Rivaling in splendor, as doubtless it will, the famous Baths of Caracalla, the new social center and gymnasium of the House ought to be a bargain at \$7,000,000, and the people who complain of this raid on the surplus ought to have their taxes increased for their narrow-minded bigotry.

The square west of the present House Office building, so soon to see the restoration of the luxuries of ancient Rome, with marble swimming pools and perfumed fountains, is one of the most historic in Washington, if for no other reason than that in it for many months once upon a time the White House was located. In Ben Butler's granite mansion President Arthur lived after the death of Garfield, as the guest of Senator Jones, who then occupied it. It seems a pity to tear it down to make a Roman holiday.

President Coolidge is said to be doubtful of the value of a three-cornered conference on naval disarmament, but England and Japan seem to see no reason why the United States shouldn't sink a few more battleships, regardless of the permission of France and Italy.

It is rumored that Secretary Hoover is making room at the Department of Commerce for the new \$50,000 radio commission.

"Will you come into my parlor?" Said the spider to the fly; "I've the prettiest little parlor That ever you did spy."

Gov. Fisher has given Senator-elect Vane another certificate, which is said to be almost as valuable as the old one.

Times have changed up on the Hill, where in the old days the first thing a gentleman did when reporting for work in the morning was to stop in at the snug little bar on the main floor, where the House barber shop now is, and take a drink. Many a whisky bill was passed in those days—but not like the one passed yesterday.

It is whispered that the Administration has sent to Mexico "a firm but friendly note."

One disadvantage in reappointing the House on the basis of a membership of 300, so that the present quarters in the office building would be ample, is that it wouldn't cost \$7,000,000 of somebody else's money.

"You are quite an ingenious young liar," writes George Bernard Shaw to an aspiring student. "A career as a journalist is indicated." As Mark Twain said, "Get your facts first, and then you can distort 'em as much as you please."

Gov. McLean, of North Carolina, refuses to call out the national guard to stop a cockfight. Some States don't seem to have any respect for law and order.

When the Federal government removed to Washington in 1800 an enterprising speculator built a large frame, whitewashed shed, which he offered to rent to Uncle Sam for \$40 per annum as a Hall of Records, and here he is paying out \$929,528.46 in rent in 1926 for buildings at the Capital. We move forward!

Ash Wednesday ushers in the saddest season of the Christian calendar, and hearts incline to the spiritual. The fast is cleansing no less to the soul than to the body, and is conducive to inspiration, as when Moses, fasting 40 days and 40 nights on the mount, "wrote upon the tables the words of the covenant, the ten commandments."

Syracuse senior of 15 is elected to "Phi Beta Kappa" at an age when most youngsters are concerned only with being initiated into George Ade's fraternity—"Eta Beta Pi."

Four bandits in an automobile rob three Washington stores without a record vote.

American sailors uphold treaty rights in the Yangtze district with their fists. Thank goodness, there is one weapon on which the Geneva Protocol can place no limitation.

The wet group in the House today will elect a new chairman, and when it gets around to adopting a new policy there is no reason why it shouldn't prove as effective as instrumentalism of government as the farm bloc.

## FILIBUSTER OPENED AGAINST EXTENDING SLUSH-FUND INQUIRY

Reed, Pennsylvania, and Moses Block Resolution Coming to Vote.

### JOURNAL READ FIRST TIME IN FIVE YEARS

Legislative Jam Expected to Result in Killing of Building and Other Bills.

By NORMAN W. BAXTER.  
Filibustering forces in the United States Senate deployed yesterday against the Reed resolution extending the life of the "slush fund" investigation into the Seventieth Congress.

The fight, which began under cover more than a week ago, came to the surface as soon as the Senate met yesterday, and transformed an already involved situation into a parliamentary snarl so hopeless that it was impossible at one time even to receive a message from the House.

The charge that a filibuster was in progress was made by Senator James A. Reed, of Missouri, together with the warning that he intended to press for continuous sessions in order to force a vote on his resolution.

It did not require the statement of the Missouri Senator and the uncompromising way in which he referred to his opponents and their replies to disclose what was going on.

Dry Bill as Smoke Screen.  
The prohibition reorganization bill, before the Senate under cloture, furnished a slight smoke screen, and so did an involved discussion of the meaning and intent of cloture which Senator David A. Reed, of Pennsylvania, precipitated, but when Senator George H. Moses, of New Hampshire, objected to having the reading of the journal dispensed with, and Senator Reed, of Pennsylvania, sustained that objection, the time for subterfuges had passed.

The unusual dilatory motions—the journal has not been read in five years, or since the antilynching bill was being considered—served their purpose. The morning hour, at which Senator Reed, of Missouri, was to have had his resolution brought up, was entirely consumed and, because of previous agreements, the Senate had but two hours to devote to its unfinished business—the prohibition bill.

Last night the filibusters were confident they would succeed in their intention to block the Reed resolution. If they succeeded they will send to legislative limbo a number of other important measures, included among which are the alien property bill, the public buildings bill, the contempt citations against recalcitrant Reed committee witnesses, the Borah Nicaraguan inquiry proposal, Federal patronage inquiry, in fact, everything but unobjectionable bills on the calendar.

Opposition Confident.  
Their confidence was based on the fact that the cloture prohibition bill will not come before the Senate again until today. They hope to delay its (CONTINUED ON PAGE 5, COLUMN 3.)

### Kellogg Plays Golf And Rides Horseback

Charleston, S. C., March 1 (By A. P.).—Secretary of State Kellogg, who arrived here yesterday from Washington for a brief rest, sought the golf links today after an early morning horseback ride. He is a guest of former Senator J. S. Frelinghuysen, of New Jersey, at the latter's winter home.

### PAN-AMERICAN FLIERS OFF AFTER FUNERAL

Long Flight, Halted by Tragic Death of Airmen, Is Resumed.

Buenos Aires, March 1 (By A. P.).—The San Francisco and St. Louis, the two remaining planes of the United States Army Pan-American squadron, of four which arrived here Saturday, will hop off tomorrow morning in continuance of the 20,000-mile flight temporarily halted by the tragedy which took the lives of Capt. Clinton F. Woolsey and his relief pilot, Lieut. John W. Benton.

Under present plans the planes will go direct to Asuncion, Paraguay. The American aviators, headed by Maj. Herbert A. Dargue, flight commander, today attended funeral services for Capt. Arturo Cuervo, attached to the Argentine air service, who died from a heart attack on Monday when he went to pay his last respects to the two dead American fliers.

The entire embassy staff also attended the services and United States Charge d'Affaires Cable and Maj. Dargue were among the pallbearers.

Lieut. Ennis C. Wheatless, relief pilot of the New York, was unable to attend the service. He is in the British hospital recovering from a bruise on his left leg caused when he jumped from the New York on Saturday in a parachute.

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## WHISKY BILL PASSED BY HOUSE, 209 TO 151

Would Permit Private Manufacture Under Supervision of Treasury.

### ATTACK MADE ON MELLON

(By the Associated Press.)

The House yesterday passed the ways and means committee's medicinal whisky bill, to permit private manufacture of liquor under the supervision of the Treasury and to replenish stocks which are approaching depletion. The bill now goes to the Senate.

The customary wet and dry lines in the House were shattered on the whisky bill vote. It was sent to the Senate after several hours of acrimonious debate, by a vote of 209 to 151.

During the debate repeated attacks were made upon Secretary Mellon, Representative Howard, Democrat, of Nebraska, offering an amendment to enact the bill "An Act for the Relief of Mellon and Associates." Other members charged that it placed a monopoly in the Treasury Secretary's hands. The bill would give the Secretary of the Treasury authority to permit manufacture of whisky, "at a reasonable price," in from two to six distilleries, under regulations prescribed by him.

While no restrictions as to amounts are placed upon the Secretary, it is contemplated between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 gallons annually will be necessary to keep an adequate supply on hand. Retailers would be required to sell the whisky at a profit not in excess of 100 per cent, and the profit to the distilleries would be limited to 10 cents a gallon, under amendments offered by Representative W. E. Hull, of Illinois, a former distiller.

### Senate Approves Bill For Elevating Guns

(By the Associated Press.)

Final congressional approval of an appropriation for increasing the firing range of the big guns of the battleships Oklahoma and Nevada was given last night with the passage by the Senate of a bill approved on Monday by the House.

### 130 Measures Passed By Senate at Night

(By the Associated Press.)

One hundred and thirty bills and resolutions were approved last night by the Senate in a three-hour session. This cleared the calendar of a large number of claims, pensions and other measures, but left for further consideration such bills as the alien property bill and the \$125,000,000 public buildings proposal.

## 65 Men Believed Killed By Explosions in 2 Mines

Welsh Disaster Slays 23 Outright, While 28 Are Imprisoned Behind Wall of Flame—Nottinghamshire Blast Probably Fatal to 14.

London, March 1 (By A. P.).—Great Britain's mining industry today was stricken by two disasters, one in Wales and the other in Nottinghamshire, England, with a death toll that was feared would reach 65.

The Welsh disaster took place in a mine situated near Cwm, a small town that lies in the shadow of the so-called "moving mountain." Down Pwll, which only last year caused a nearby river to shift its course and to overflow the town and many miners' homes.

An explosion early this morning in the marine colliery of one of the largest pits of the Ebbwvale Co., employing 1,700 men, caused deaths that are known to number 23, with 28 men missing. Most of the latter are believed to be trapped by a wall of flame, and hope for them has virtually been abandoned.

There were 120 operators working when the explosion occurred. Most of them were able to reach the surface, but the others were so far under ground that escape was impossible. Albert Button, a 22-year-old miner, was

## COOLIDGE DOUBTS VALUE OF 3-POWER NAVY CONFERENCE

Still Sees Hope, However, for Session of Five Major Nations.

### FRENCH OBJECTIONS HELD BIG OBSTACLE

Plea for Limitation Believed Misinterpreted by Two Dissenting Countries.

By ALBERT W. FOX.

President Coolidge doubts the feasibility of a three-power conference on limitation of naval armaments. The suggestion that the United States, Great Britain and Japan might arrange for such a conference at Geneva, in view of the refusal of France and Italy to participate in the proposed five-power conference, is not regarded as practical by the President.

Mr. Coolidge, however, still sees more than a ray of hope that the five-power agreement to limit naval armaments may be consummated, although no indication was given yesterday as to the reason for this optimism at the White House.

The President's spokesman, in discussing the situation resulting from the various replies received to the invitation of February 10, prefaced his remarks by stating the opportunity may be opened for further satisfactory action. Coincidentally the spokesman called attention to the fact that the President's proposal transmitted to the interested powers called for a conference of limitation of armaments and not for reduction of armaments.

Limitation Only Sought.  
Both in the President's message to the Congress and in the invitation extended to Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan there are frequent references to limitation of naval armaments, but no reference to reduction. The American proposal to the powers concludes in these words:

"The American government earnestly hopes that the institution of such negotiations at Geneva may be agreeable to the governments of the British empire, France, Italy and Japan, and that comprehensive limitation of all types of naval armament may be brought into effect among the principal naval powers without delay."

From the first explanations made by the White House spokesman yesterday, it was believed the President had in mind the furtherance of the three-power conference plan. But it was then stated that Mr. Coolidge doubted the practicability of this plan. The absence of France from such a conference, it was intimated, would make it impracticable for Great Britain to agree to limitations. The British government (CONTINUED ON PAGE 4, COLUMN 4.)

### Byrd Will Explore Greenland by Plane

New York, March 1 (By A. P.).—Commander Richard E. Byrd, of the United States navy, polar flier, is planning an airplane flight to Greenland this June, the New York Herald Tribune says. The object of the expedition is to make a scientific study of the unexplored regions of the north and west of the great arctic island.

Scientists will be attached to the expedition, some of them accompanying Byrd and his two flying companions, Floyd Bennett and Lieut. Bernt Balchen, of the Norwegian navy, in the plane.

## CARRINGTONS DUEL WITH CANES; OLDER BROTHER ARRESTED

Campbell, From Hospital, Charges That Colonel Started Attack.

### BLOOD ON HIS HANDS, STATEMENT OF WIFE

Younger Man Called to Congratulate Her on Granddaughter, She Says.

New York, March 1 (By A. P.).—The house of Carrington was today a house divided against itself, divided in dramatic fashion by a midnight passage at arms with walking sticks, one a dapper Malacca and the other a sinister-sounding staff of snakewood.

The conflict was called a duel by Col. Edward Carrington Carrington, wealthy Chicagoan and wielder of the snake-wood rapier, who is under bail of \$1,000 for hearing Thursday on a charge of assault.

But his brother, Campbell Carrington, wealthy New Yorker, confined to a hospital with lacerations of the face, said it was no duel at all, but that he had been struck down from behind "by a craven blow." He added that as soon as he got out of the hospital he would take steps to have "the so-called duel" confined for observation as to his mental condition.

### Incident at Night.

The duel or attack, took place late last night near the Seventy-fourth street home of Col. Carrington's wife, in front of which the Colonel had been watching and from which his brother emerged. Col. Carrington, who is 55 years old, has a \$1,000,000 alienation of affections suit pending against his brother, who is 52, and cross-suits for divorce between the Colonel and his wife are also on the calendar for trial in Chicago.

When police were notified by hospital authorities of the younger brother's condition they questioned him and then arrested the Colonel, who acquired his title as a member of the staff of Gov. Goldsborough of Maryland in 1911.

The Colonel, a large man with a manner of speech reminiscent of the days when duelling was more common than now, showed no reluctance in talking about the matter at headquarters. He said he came to New York to get evidence against his wife and brother, and last night watched until the brother came out of Mrs. Carrington's house.

### Manner Called Insult.

"Are you looking for me?" the Colonel said the brother asked him. "His manner, gentlemen, was most insulting. He had a cane. So did I. He rushed at me and swung his cane. I swung mine. We were almost exchanging sword thrusts. In a moment he was disarmed, but on disarming him I'd even before that, my cane had come sharply in contact with his face. Suddenly blood streamed from his head and he fled."

"On my feet, my brother is in the hospital, and, gentlemen, may indicate who won the conflict."

Campbell Carrington was no more reticent about the fray. He retained Max D. Steiner as counsel and through him issued a long statement concerning the attack and his plans for having the Colonel committed to an institution. He said he had gone to Mrs. Carrington's home merely to congratulate her on becoming a grandmother, and this was corroborated by Mrs. Carrington.

Mrs. Carrington, seen at her apartment in West Seventy-fourth street, said:

"My husband's brother came to congratulate me upon the birth of a (CONTINUED ON PAGE 12, COLUMN 6.)

### THREE CONFIRMED FOR TARIFF BOARD

Opposition to Brossard Fails After Fight Lasting for a Year.

(By the Associated Press.)

The Senate yesterday confirmed the nominations of Edgar B. Brossard, of Utah; Sherman J. Lowell, of New York, and Lincoln Dixon, of Indiana, to be members of the Tariff Commission.

Confirmation ends a year-old fight led by Senator Robinson, the Democratic leader, who, as chairman of a special investigating committee, sought to prove that some of the commissioners were biased.

The investigation particularly was aimed at Brossard, who was charged with being influenced by the sugar beet industry. When only 21 votes were mustered against Brossard, confirmation of the other two went through without opposition.

### 4 Children and Man Die When Home Burns

Hibbing, Minn., March 1 (By A. P.). Five persons, four children and their 70-year-old grandfather, were burned to death here today when a fire, caused by an overheated stove, destroyed the home of Samuel Basford, a farmer.

The children ranged in age from 5 to 10 years. They were sleeping with the elder Basford on the second floor. Their bodies, huddled together as though for protection, were recovered by firemen.

## Light Inquiry to Continue; Commissioners Plan Action

Bell and Dougherty Are Prepared to Act If the Life of the Gibson Committee Is Not Extended.

Uncertainty as to what might come next yesterday beset the investigation of the traffic signal scandal, but everyone concerned agreed that in whatever fashion it be reshaped, it will still be carried on.

Representative Ernest W. Gibson, chairman of the House subcommittee, before which disclosures of irregularities in the purchase of signals were made, said that even if Congress fails to pass the pending resolution extending existence of the subcommittee after the Sixty-ninth Congress ends, there are several ways in which the investigation may be continued.

"The bureau of efficiency will continue its work," he said, "and members of the subcommittee will come here from time to time to check up with it. As to further hearings, after Friday, we are uncertain. But there is a subcommittee of the Senate that might cooperate. At any rate you may be sure the investigation will not be dropped."

When a report reached the District building that the subcommittee might not exist after this week, the commissioners indicated they would begin energetic prosecution of the inquiry as soon as the representatives ended their hearings.

"It is time," said Col. Bell, "for the commissioners to take hold of the affairs of the District with a strong hand. If they do not do so they will lose control of them. They have largely done so already. There is danger that the controller general, the National Capital park and planning commission and other Federal agencies will be administering local offices."

"As soon as the subcommittee ceases to function we will have to take up their work, straighten out things that have been discovered to have gone awry and find whatever else there is that needs correction."

"We now will have officially to ask the bureau of efficiency to investigate all departments of the municipality, as I already have done as to the office under my administration."

Commissioner Proctor L. Dougherty voiced somewhat similar sentiment. He said:

"It is up to us now to move, not (CONTINUED ON PAGE 22, COLUMN 2.)

### NEW NOTE TO MEXICO; OFFICIALS HERE SILENT

Communication, Said to Be Unusually Important, Not on Land or Oil.

### GUESSES DRAW NO REPLY

(By the Associated Press.)

Flat refusal at the State Department to throw any light on the American note handed to the Mexican foreign office opened the way for unlimited speculation last night as to the latest evidence of friction between the two governments.

The department, however, did say that the communication had no relation to the oil and land law controversies, but made no comment on the statement from Mexico City that the note was of unusual importance.

Efforts to guess the subject of the note ranged all the way from the trouble American insurance companies have (CONTINUED ON PAGE 13, COLUMN 3.)

### Ship Resists Seizure By Cutter at Sea

San Francisco, March 1 (By A. P.).—A wireless message to coast guard headquarters here from the patrol boat Chahokia said the steamer Federalship was seized 300 miles southwest of San Francisco today with 12,500 cases of whisky aboard. The distance from shore was not given. The message said the vessel has "resisted seizure."

Capt. S. S. Stone was placed under arrest and a crew from the Chahokia took over the captured steamer.

### Slain Bank Cashier Inside Looted Vault

Verona, N. Dak., March 1 (By A. P.). Bank robbers, it is believed, killed the cashier of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank here last night and fled with nearly all the money in its vault.

Beaten to death with some heavy instrument, the body of H. C. Bjorne, the cashier, was found today, locked in the vault, with every indication that he had resisted attack in the bank last evening, while working late, and was killed when he refused to surrender the bank's funds.

### Lord's Disappearance Is English Sensation

London, March 1 (By A. P.).—The English press has a new mystery sensation in the reported disappearance from Monte Carlo of Lord Terrington, well-known lawyer, who has been living there since June. Lord Terrington's presence has been required in London for some time in connection with his bankruptcy proceedings involving about \$400,000.

His doctors have frequently stated that he was too ill to return to London. Lady Terrington, woman member of the house of commons, divorced him last year alleging relations with Mrs. Devere Humphrey, who also has been at Monte Carlo.

### Boy, 15, Is Elected To Phi Beta Kappa

Syracuse, N. Y., March 1 (By A. P.).—Moses Pinkelstein, who will be 16 when he is graduated from Syracuse university this year, today was elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

Read a Chapter of the Bible Every Day. Send for catalog of Bibles. John Murphy Co., Park ave. & Clay st., Baltimore, Adv.

## DAUGHERTY JURY LOCKED UP AFTER 10 HOURS' DEBATE

Senator Goff's Report Is Asked For; Judge Grants Request.

NEW YORK, March 1 (By A. P.).—After ten and one-half hours of deliberation the jury in the Daugherty-Miller trial was locked up tonight, reporting a verdict.

The jury left the court room at 11 o'clock tonight. It took the case 1:10 o'clock this afternoon.

Shortly after 11 o'clock the jury was brought in to receive instructions. The matters that puzzled them appeared to Harry M. Daugherty, former Attorney General.

Attorneys expressed belief that the jurors had agreed on a verdict for Thomas W. Miller, former alien property custodian.

At 8:45 o'clock tonight the foreman rapped at the door and gave a note to the bailiffs. They said exhibits were wanted. Checks introduced by the government to show the alleged division of the \$441,000 fee between King, Smith, Miller and Daugherty were requested by the jurors. They were assembled, and by agreement of counsel, were sent to the jury room.

Ask for Goff Letter.

At 10:15 o'clock, the jurors asked for a copy of a letter Senator Guy D. Goff sent to President Harding making a report on his investigation of the American metals transfer. The letter, written in June, 1922, assured the late President that the claims were investigated thoroughly and were supported by the best proof ever submitted with a claim.

When counsel for Daugherty and Miller objected, saying the letter had not been admitted as evidence, Judge Knox was summoned.

At 11 o'clock the jurors sent a sealed note to Judge Knox. Daugherty and Miller came into the court room. Mrs. Miller was with her husband. The scene was set for a verdict. When Judge Knox arrived the jury was brought into the court room. Reading the note, Judge Knox said it was for more instructions on the weight of testimony given by character witnesses.

There were no questions regarding Miller's case, and attorneys were of the opinion the jurors had agreed on a verdict for him.

Judge Knox then told the jurors that the letter of President Harding to Daugherty was not part of the evidence. He said he would read them, in its stead, the testimony of a former secretary to Daugherty, who said the letter was received by him.

A copy of Senator Goff's report, which was signed by Adna R. Johnson, Jr., Assistant Attorney General in charge of alien property matters, was given the jury.

The jurors were given the case at 1:10 o'clock this afternoon, following a two-hour charge by Judge John C. Knox. United States Attorney Emory R. Buckner concluded a summation that had consumed two days in the half-hour between the opening of court and the judge's charge. The jurors were taken to lunch before being permitted to start their deliberations, and actually began trying for a verdict at 2:15.

At 6 o'clock, reporters peeping through windows opposite the jury room, saw the jurors gesticulating and pounding on the table around which they sat. They had not asked the court for instructions or exhibits. Shortly after 6 o'clock the jury went out to supper.

Defendants Do Not Speak.

Shortly after the jury retired to deliberate, Daugherty and Miller strolled up and down the corridors of the Federal building. They seldom spoke during the trial, and they did not speak as they awaited the verdict. Both expressed belief that they would be acquitted.

Buckner's summation, which began Friday morning, was finally limited by the court.

"It shouldn't take you more than fifteen minutes to find Miller guilty," Buckner said in conclusion. "When you take up the question of Daugherty's guilt or innocence, if you understand the evidence, it should not take much longer. Don't let him fool you with pleas for sympathy."

"If you let Harry M. Daugherty free, you are virtually saying to a prosecutor in the United States—run along and prosecute pickpockets and the rest of the small fry, but bother the higher-ups."

"The case against Daugherty is as crushing, just as convincing, one against Miller. If you please for sympathy and acquittal, which is indefensible in principle."

The courtroom door was locked and the jury was taken to the jury charge to the jury. Judge Knox instructed concerning points of (CONTINUED ON PAGE 10, COLUMN 1.)

## BUCKNER'S CLOSING WARNS OF SYMPATHY

Case of Former Attorney General and Alien Custodian Submitted at 1:10.

NEW YORK, March 1 (By A. P.).—Reports received here from Lodz, Poland, state that a monarchist movement has begun in Poland.

### Monarchist Move Reported in Poland

Bucharest, March 1 (By A. P.).—Reports received here from Lodz, Poland, state that a monarchist movement has begun in Poland.



## FOUR MEN IN AUTO SPEED ABOUT CITY HOLDING UP STORES

Three Places in Various Parts  
of Capital Robbed by  
Quartet in Hour.

VICTIMS IDENTIFY TRIO  
ARRESTED ON SUSPICION

Pair Pointed Out as Bandits  
Who Seriously Shot  
Dairyman.

A band of four negroes speeding to  
various parts of the city in an auto-  
mobile, perpetrated three holdups be-  
tween 8:15 and 9:15 o'clock last night.

The first place visited by the hold-  
up men was the Fairmont market, 128  
V street northwest. Flashing revolvers  
in the faces of two customers, two of  
the robbers stood guard in the store  
while a third robbed Louis Lender-  
baum, manager of \$45. A fourth man  
waited at the wheel of an automobile.

The bandits warned Lenderbaum to  
remain quiet while they escaped.

The robbers next visited a store at  
1339 Fifth street northwest. Mrs.  
Belle Lemmer, proprietor, was alone  
at the time. Three of the men, de-  
scribed as being youthful, entered and  
displaying guns went to the regis-  
ter, snatched about \$5 and

about 15 minutes later the holdup  
men entered a store at 51 G street  
northwest, commanded Alexander Beres,  
proprietor, to hold up his hands and  
robbed him of \$90. The entire band  
participated in this robbery. They  
escaped while Beres was phoning police.

Three Men Identified.

A shooting, two holdups and nearly  
a score of robberies were cleared up  
last night. Headquarters Detectives B.  
W. Thompson and Ira Keck say, fol-  
lowing their arrest of three negroes  
on suspicion.

Walter Gayden, 26 years old, and  
Joseph Thomas, 22, both of Hyattsville,  
were identified last night by Lewis C.  
Hixson, night manager of the lunch-  
room at 1107 V street northwest, as the  
men, who, several weeks ago, held him  
up and robbed him of \$3 and then  
shot and seriously wounded William  
Mason, 60, employed in a dairy across  
the street, when he attempted to frus-  
trate the holdup.

Mason still is confined to his bed in  
Stebbins hospital, suffering from a  
wound about the heart.

Charles Woodard, 18 years old, of  
Greenleaf, N. C., was identified last

night by Max Aein, proprietor of a  
store at 201 C street southwest, as one  
of the three men who entered his store  
the night of February 4 and brand-  
ishing revolvers, demanded his money  
and fled when he cried for help.

Aein, in making the identification,  
said Woodard wore a red sweater the  
night of the holdup. When Detectives  
Thompson and Keck ordered Woodard  
to unbutton his coat, Woodard fumble  
around the buttons but failed to  
open the coat. When the detectives  
opened it for him Woodard was wear-  
ing a red sweater.

Detectives expect to place additional  
charges of robbery against the three  
men. Others will be called to head-  
quarters in an effort to identify the  
men as those participating in other  
crimes.

## \$1,000,000 FOR DISTRICT GIVEN IN DEFICIENCY BILL

Eliminates Plan for Taxing  
Abutting Property Owners  
for Sewer Work.

Water main and sewer development  
will be paid for out of the general  
revenue at rates existing in 1914, in-  
stead of being assessed against abutting  
property owners, according to the sec-  
ond deficiency bill ordered favorably  
reported yesterday by the Senate.

The Senate appropriations committee struck  
out a House amendment to the bill pro-  
viding for the continuance of the 1927  
system of assessments. It had been  
stricken previously from the regular  
District appropriation bill at the in-  
stance of Chairman Zihlman, of the  
House District committee. When it  
was put into the deficiency bill it com-  
municated with the Senate managers  
to have it taken out.

The bill carried more than \$1,000,-  
000 for the District, with an item of  
\$18,000 to provide facilities for manu-  
facture of brick at Ocoquan, which  
was not in the House bill. There is  
also an item of \$850,000 for the erec-  
tion of a nurses' home at Columbia  
hospital.

(By the Associated Press.)

Nearly \$800,000 were added yes-  
terday to the second deficiency appro-  
priation bill by the Senate appropri-  
ations committee.

As ordered reported the measure car-  
ries \$93,719,752, or \$29,565,334 more  
than the House provided. New items  
include \$6,000,000 for the purchase of  
the Cape Cod canal, provided for in  
the rivers and harbors bill; \$6,447,628  
for the payment of judgments of the  
Court of Claims; \$4,409,077 for sub-  
sistence of the army, and \$3,152,681 for  
the removal of high explosive ammu-  
nition from the Curtis Bay and Raritan,  
N. J., arsenals. The ammunition would  
be removed to Pig Point, Va.; Charles-  
ton, S. C.; Savannah, Ill., and to the  
ordnance depot near Ogden, Utah.

## SENATE APPROVES 11 BILLS FOR CITY AT NIGHT SESSION

Only Four of Total Are Held  
Likely to Become Laws,  
However.

AUTHORIZE LAND TRADE  
AT NAVAL OBSERVATORY

Market Measure Passes, but  
Is Worthless Unless It Is  
Straightened Out.

The Senate last night passed eleven  
local bills, only four of which, however,  
likely will become laws. Two measures,  
one authorizing a land trade in the  
vicinity of the Naval Observatory and  
the removal of the Industrial home,  
and another giving W. H. Santelmann,  
leader of the Marine band, the rank of  
captain, already have passed the Sen-  
ate, and now go to the President.

In addition, the Senate passed the  
farmers' market site bill which, already  
passed by the House but which was  
amended by the Senate, is worthless. It  
may be straightened out in conference.  
It also passed a bill, the identical of  
which has been passed by the House,  
authorizing the laying of a pipe line  
from the Willard hotel to Child's  
restaurant, but one or the other house  
must act on the same bill before it  
can go to the President.

Other Measures Passed.

Other measures passed which are  
not likely to be acted on by the House  
were those authorizing the District  
commissioners to extend streets  
throughout specified government property,  
giving the commissioners blanket au-  
thority to close streets in conformity  
with the highway plan, authorizing  
them to settle by compromise claims  
growing out of the settlement of land  
over the railroad tunnel, prohibiting  
the erection of a heating plant at Mc-  
Kinley Junior High school, increasing  
the fee of applicant dentists from \$1 to  
\$2 and the fee of applicant nurses from  
\$5 to \$15, and placing members of the  
park police on a parity with members  
of the Metropolitan force in regard to  
pay and perquisites.

Would Give Commission.

The Santelmann bill will make pos-  
sible the retirement of the band leader  
as a captain. He now receives the sal-  
ary and allowances of that rank, but is  
a private and would retire as such with-  
out the bill. This measure was handled

by Senator Wadsworth, of New York,  
chairman of the Senate military affairs  
committee.

The naval observatory land trade bill,  
handled by the naval affairs committee,  
but approved by the District commis-  
sioners, authorizes the observatory and  
District to exchange overlapping prop-  
erty. The District's intact portion then  
either may be sold or utilized for park  
purposes.

As passed by the House, the farmers'  
market bill would authorize the com-  
missioners to select a site for a new  
market at a cost not to exceed \$600,000.  
As the result of a fight made by the  
advocates of the Southwest site before  
the Senate committee, however, the  
bill was amended to authorize the  
commissioners to select a site and re-  
port back to the next session of Con-  
gress. It was further amended on the  
floor to insure that no contract for the  
site can be made. In this form the bill  
simply authorizes the commission-  
ers to select a site and report back to  
Congress. To what any citizen can do,  
namely, look over a site and say he  
likes it. Whether the House managers  
will be able to get some form of their  
original bill agreed to in conference is  
problematical.

Bill Is Moral Victory.

The bill prohibiting the erection of  
a heating plant at the McKinley  
school is a moral victory for the resi-  
dents of the neighborhood, who with  
Senator Chapman, of New York, and  
their mainstay have sought to stop  
work now fairly well advanced. Senator  
King, of Utah, said he thought the  
erection of the plant involved the  
cost is "repellent." However, the  
work will continue unless the House  
should do the unexpected and pass the  
bill.

Senator King kept his promise and  
prevented action on Lieut. Mina C. Van  
Winkle's police bill. Senator Copeland,  
of New York, said in light vein, it  
seemed, when the Utah senator first  
objected:

"Oh, I hope the senator from Utah  
will not object to the most important  
measure of the session. But Senator King  
repeated, 'Let the bill go over, over,  
over.'"

Sensors Jones, of Washington, and  
Sackett, of Kentucky, sought to dis-  
suade Senator McKellar, of Tennessee,  
from blocking a bill designed to permit  
the board of education to employ gov-  
ernment specialists as instructors in the  
night schools, but the Tennessee sen-  
ator insisted there should be a limitation  
as to the amount the instructors could  
be paid.

## Drivers' Permits Below 95,000 Held "Dead"

All drivers' permits with numbers be-  
low 95,000 were officially declared  
"dead" yesterday, and those who drive  
with them are subject to a fine of \$40,  
it was announced.

The first 95,000 of the old permits  
have reached an age of 15 to 20 years,  
it is said. Many of their owners are  
dead or have moved out of the city. Of  
the first 50,000 permits, 17,728 have  
been removed, and the remaining num-  
ber will be checked to see how many  
persons are still driving with them in  
the city. If a large number is found,  
Traffic Director Eldridge said, police-  
men will be stationed at the 95,000  
points in the city to examine permits.

Woman Poison Victim.

Margaret Marshall, colored, 35 years  
old, 1804 Fourteenth street northwest,  
ended her life yesterday morning by  
swallowing poison at her home. Coroner  
J. Ramsey Nevins issued a certificate of  
suicide. She was found lying in her bed  
in agony by members of her family  
when they came to her room. She  
was taken to Emergency hospital, where  
she died a short time later.

## Over the Coffee Cup

ELBERT HUB-  
BARD once re-  
marked that "the  
average American  
drinks anything the  
milkman leaves on the  
window-sill and eats  
anything the grocer  
deposits on the back  
door-step"

He still further said that  
when it comes to the mat-  
ter of eating, wine is the  
man who is both finicky  
and fussy

Accordingly he advised  
every one to demand few-  
things and better things—  
to seek quality not quan-  
tity in their food pur-  
chases

What Hubbard said may  
have been true then, but  
does not apply to the pres-  
ent—people are demanding  
better quality. It is not  
easy to sell just any old  
coffee today. Americans  
have grown too finicky  
about their favorite drink

If you are looking for better  
quality in coffee, I heartily be-  
lieve you cannot find better  
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## SNOW, PERHAPS SLEET, ON WEATHER BILL TODAY

Low Temperature Also Is Ex-  
pected Tomorrow as March  
Gets Under Way.

MAY GO BELOW 27 MARK

March may have entered without the  
wild bluster with which tradition has  
surrounded its annual debut, but ac-  
cording to the experts of Uncle Sam's  
forecasting bureau he will settle down  
to business today and sprinkle the city  
with snow to remind all and sundry  
that April's promissory note still has 29  
days to run.

Not only will there be snow today,  
but it may be that sort of diluted snow  
which March can shake out of his  
clouds with such facility, snow and rain  
and sleet may be the mixture.

The same low temperatures which  
last night kept the city under a blanket  
of snow and tomorrow, with some  
solace to be found in the prediction  
that tomorrow will be fair. The tem-  
perature yesterday reached a low point  
of 27 at 6 o'clock in the morning, rose  
to a high of 35 later in the day and  
again started to drop, officially reaching  
29 at 10 o'clock last night. But that  
figure was not even a stopping point  
and before sunrise today it was ex-  
pected to fall below the 27 low of yes-  
terday.

## Record Southwest Snow; 62-Foot Colorado Drifts

Kansas City, March 1 (By A. P.)—

Varying weather was in prospect for  
the Southwest tonight following the  
March snowstorm, in some places the  
heaviest of the winter.

While in western Kansas and western  
Oklahoma temperatures were moderat-  
ing and snow beginning to melt, a cold  
snap was creeping over Texas and this  
vicinity. Freezing temperatures, extend-  
ing to the Gulf coast, were due for  
Texas tonight and tomorrow morning.  
The panhandle of Texas was under a  
3-inch blanket of snow and rain was  
falling in north and northwestern  
Texas.

The Oklahoma forecast was for fair  
weather and rising temperature tomor-  
row. From 3 to 5 inches of snow fell  
over the northern part of the State.

Southeastern Kansas, with a 10-inch  
blanket, received its heaviest snow of  
the season and in western Kansas,  
where lack of moisture had threatened  
the winter wheat crop, farmers wel-  
comed a 5-inch snow fall.

Goodland, in northwestern Kansas,  
bore the brunt of the cold in that  
State with a temperature of 4 degrees  
below zero this morning.

Rising temperatures and clear to  
partly cloudy weather followed the  
storm in Colorado and Wyoming. A  
heavy snow fell in Colorado, 2 feet be-  
ing added to the 60-foot drifts that  
have blocked traffic to Silverton since  
November.

## WOMAN EXONERATED IN INTOXICATION CASE

Says Bumpy Roadway Caused  
Auto to Swerve Into Flow-  
er Bed.

Miss Gladys L. Eicher, 20 years old,  
of 2026 Third street northeast, charged  
with driving an automobile while in-  
toxicated, was found not guilty yester-  
day by a jury in police court after a  
two-day trial. Her first trial ended in  
a disagreement by the jury.

Miss Eicher was arrested June 6,  
1926, in Potomac park on complaint of  
Representative Carroll L. Beedy, of  
Maine, after her car had stalled in a  
flower bed. Through attorneys Wilkins  
and Miller Miss Eicher explained that  
bumps in the roadway caused the car  
to swerve into the flower bed. She  
denied she was intoxicated.

Beedy was driving through the park  
at the time and noticed the swerving of  
Miss Eicher's car and sent Sgt. Helms  
and Private Mason of the park police  
force, to arrest her.

District Nominations  
Facing Opposition

The Senate District subcommittee  
composed of Senators Jones of Washing-  
ton, Sackett of Kentucky and King of  
Utah, yesterday heard J. W. Childress,  
B. J. Adams, public utility commis-  
sion appointees, and Ralph B. Fie-  
harty, people's counsel appointee, in  
executive session, and met later with a  
view to acting on them, but could come  
to no agreement.

Another meeting will be held today.  
Should the subcommittee be able to  
reach an agreement it is known that  
at least two senators on the floor are  
prepared to fight the nominations.

False Arrest Charged.

Clell J. Husband, 104 Thirteenth  
street southeast, filed suit yesterday in  
circuit court against Jacob Ostrow,  
2235 First street northwest, to recover  
\$10,000 damages for alleged false ar-  
rest. Through Attorneys Kelly & John-  
son the plaintiff says that on June 18,  
1926, the defendant caused his arrest  
on a charge of leaving after colliding  
but that the case failed in the police  
court.

Clinical Club Gives Dinner.

The third monthly dinner and forum  
of the recently formed Clinical Club of  
Washington was held last night at the  
University club. Dr. Everett M. Eli-  
son, the president, presided. Dr. Louis  
B. Castell and Dr. Oliver C. Cox spoke.

FIRE RECORD.

8:53 a. m.—2510 Twenty-fourth street north-  
east; frame house.

9:05 a. m.—Ninth and U streets northwest;  
automobile.

1:25 p. m.—917 New York avenue northwest;  
trunk.

2:14 p. m.—3817 Benning road northeast;  
roof.

5:49 p. m.—1205 Trilanda avenue northeast;  
gas stove.

8:12 p. m.—1614 Riggs street northwest;  
trash.

## BARRACKS FIRE PERILS FAMILIES OF SOLDIERS

Woman and Children Barely  
Escape From Blaze at  
Fort Humphreys.

TWO FIREMEN ARE BURNED

Fire believed to have been caused by  
defective wiring yesterday destroyed two  
barrack buildings at Fort Humphreys,  
Va., and endangered the families of  
noncommissioned officers. The wife  
of Sergt. Kaiser barely managed to es-  
cape with her two small children. Two  
firemen were burned.

Flames were bursting through the  
roof of one of the flimsy structures and  
had spread to an adjoining building  
occupied by Sergt. Foushee and his  
family when post fire apparatus ar-  
rived. The balance of the block of  
dried-out wartime wooden barracks  
would have been destroyed had there  
been the slightest breeze.

This block of buildings was used  
by the District national guard during  
its summer encampment last year. The  
dried-out wood burned like tinder and  
the firemen had great difficulty in con-  
fining the flames to the two buildings  
destroyed. The entire contents of Sergt.  
Kaiser's quarters were destroyed.

Blazing timber and tar paper fall-  
ing from the buildings seriously burned  
two post firefighters.

A board of inquiry was appointed last  
night by Col. E. M. Markham, com-  
mandant of the post. It is believed  
defective wiring was to blame. The  
wiring in the buildings is unprotected  
and old and constitutes a menace, of-  
ficers declared.

A large portion of the effects of Sergt.  
Foushee and his family were saved at  
great personal risk by the firefighters.  
The damage to the buildings and their  
contents was estimated at approximate-  
ly \$10,000. The buildings themselves  
are the least of the damage, as they  
were valued at but \$85.

Congress has appropriated \$500,000  
for permanent fireproof structures at  
Fort Humphreys, but the fund is not  
available until next year.

With rural mail delivery under  
private contract, eighteen mil-  
lion dollars a year would be  
saved in taxes," testified a post-  
master-general. Read "Why  
the State is a Poor Business  
Man" in March

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Auto Laundry, effective November 30, 1926,  
and said L. W. Secor is no longer connected  
therewith.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE LOT  
owners of Prospect Hill Cemetery Asso-  
ciation will be held in the Concord Club Hall,  
314 G street northwest, TUESDAY, MARCH  
8, 1927, at 8 o'clock P. M. for the election  
of the board of trustees for the ensuing year  
and for such other business that may properly  
come before the meeting. "H. G. WINKLER,  
Secretary."

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ing of the shareholders of the capital stock  
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o'clock P. M., to consider and determine the  
question of increasing the capital stock in  
the sum of two hundred thousand dollars  
(\$250,000), making the total capital  
seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$750,-  
000), the shareholders of record to have the  
privilege of subscribing for such increase at  
the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) per  
share in the proportion of one share for each  
share held by them, the same to be  
paid for in cash within thirty days after  
notice that such increase has been authorized  
by the meeting of the shareholders, and stock  
not subscribed for by the shareholders in the  
proportion above set forth may be disposed  
of by the board of directors of the bank at  
or in excess of the price of one hundred and  
seventy-five dollars (\$175) per share, as  
may seem proper to the board of directors  
of the bank; they to have full control of all  
matters of detail necessary and proper to  
carry the foregoing into effect. Thirty days'  
notice of such meeting shall be given by  
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# IMMIGRATION LAW IMPERILED

## Hyphenated Agitation of Wartime Dimensions Seeks to Coerce Congress.

Immigration Restriction is necessary for the national unity and economic well-being of the United States and is now the settled policy of the nation.

The Immigration Act of 1924, which was passed by an overwhelming majority, provides for putting into effect the "national origins" quota basis on July 1, 1927, and reduces the total quota immigration from about 164,000 to 150,000. This means that each nation's quota would be in proportion to its contribution to the total American stock since the days of the earliest settlers, instead of being based on the foreign-born here in 1890.

Various foreign-born, foreign language, foreign allegiance—or in other words "hyphenated" groups, however, soon saw that the quotas of their favorite nations overseas were to be reduced and at once began carrying on a campaign of agitation and intimidation demanding repeal or suspension of the law. It has been stated on the floor of the Senate without contradiction that members of Congress have been threatened with "political reprisals" unless they should comply with the alien demand.

Simultaneously there began to appear suggestions that the data for computing national origins was inadequate. These statements, although widely credited in Washington at the moment, seem to be in conflict with the evidence.

Dr. Joseph A. Hill, Assistant to the Director of the Census, testifying before the House Immigration Committee in its hearings early in January, explained (1) that immigration records giving the number of immigrants arriving annually from each country have been kept since 1820; (2) that each decennial census since 1850 has classified the foreign born by country of birth, and (3) that there was a classification of racial stocks of the white population based on the census of 1790, and published by the Bureau of Census in a volume entitled "A Century of Population Growth."

Regarding the census of 1790, upon the accuracy of which doubt has been expressed, Dr. Hill said that in his opinion it was more accurate than those taken in more recent times.

The process for determining "national origins" is complicated. Much more so is the process by which it is known that the atom is made up of electrons. So is the process by which the details of construction of skyscrapers are figured, but we use the results in every day life. Space in this communication does not permit of even an outline of the quota board's procedure, but it is useful to know what Dr. Hill thinks of it. Regarding the method as a whole, he refers to it as "a scientific plan," and as to an important branch of the work he said, "I think the process we followed here is scientifically sound."

All modern scientific men seek at the earliest possible moment to ascertain "the probable error" in their calculations. Artillery officers are familiar with the term. Dr. Hill, while admitting that his figures were not 100 per cent accurate, and that they could be refined by study extending over a period of years, called attention to the fact that 150,000 immigrants in the population meant one immigrant for every 600 inhabitants, so that an error of 600 inhabitants would make a difference of only one person in the quota, an error of 6,000 would mean ten immigrants, and 60,000 would mean only 100 immigrants.

Senator Reed, of Missouri, is quoted to show the alleged impossibility of computing "national origins" when he called attention to the fact that many Americans have mixed blood in their veins. But, as Dr. Hill pointed out in his testimony, it was not sought to ascertain how many pure blooded individuals of various stocks there were in the country, but rather of what strains the population was made up, and in what proportions. He put the case—"If you had four people, each of whom had one German grandparent and three English grandparents, so that each of them was three-fourths English and one-fourth German, we can say that we have the equivalent here of three English persons and one German person."

That in a nutshell is the whole underlying conception of the "national origins" method. Its accuracy for practical purposes is vouched for by the experts who know most about it. Nobody can deny that it is fair, and based on a principle. If we are to have immigration restrictions—and we must—is it not better to have quotas based on a just rule or principle than on some arbitrary classification where the computation of quotas boils down to a political squabble between foreign born groups as to which will have the largest immigration?

It is not necessary at present to comment on the mystery of the four different printed versions of the same letter bearing the signatures of the Secretaries of State, Commerce and Labor, dated January 3, 1927, appearing in the Congressional Record and other official documents. Owing to the confusion caused by the contradictory comments by the three Secretaries on the report of the Quota Board, the Senate, by resolution, has called for a final report. Again, it is to be hoped that it will not be necessary to investigate the question of what attempts have been made by representatives of foreign governments to influence members of Congress. But it may be asked, if the organized attack now under way, obviously based on divided allegiance, should be allowed to influence the government's policy on a question so clearly one of national self-preservation as immigration restriction?

Any Congressional action on this question now would be without debate or adequate consideration. Members of the House of Representatives, therefore, are asked to vote against the pending resolution to suspend operation of the law, which, its opponents hope and claim, is the first step toward repeal. Let the law take its course. If there is anything wrong with it, it can be repealed or amended in orderly fashion.

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## HOUSE FREE DISMISSES COOPER DRY-TRAP CHARGES

### No Dissenting Vote Is Cast in the Impeachment Case of Federal Judge.

### DECLINES TO APPROVE HIS METHODS, HOWEVER

### La Guardia Says That He Will Not Renew Battle From Floor.

(By the Associated Press.)

Impeachment charges against Federal Judge Frank Cooper, of the Northern New York district, were dismissed yesterday without a dissenting vote by the House Judiciary committee with a declaration that its action was not to be construed as commending the manner in which he handled some cases.

Four members of the committee were reported to have disagreed with the committee's findings, but when the vote was taken they remained silent rather than go on record against the majority. It was understood, however, that no minority or protesting views would be filed.

The House must now act on the committee's report. Representative LaGuardia (Republican), New York, who preferred the charges against Judge Cooper, said he did not contemplate renewing his fight on the floor.

The judge was charged by LaGuardia with illegally having mapped out a plan with prohibitionists to bring liquor law violators and then sit in judgment on their cases.

Without mentioning any specific case the House committee, which had conducted an investigation of the charges, declined to give this procedure its approval, but it held that the judge's actions did not constitute grounds for impeachment.

After the decision was announced LaGuardia said his "conscience is clear" and that the report justified his attack on the judge. Elsie Hanson, counsel for Cooper, said "stripped of all its verbiage" for the charge against his client was that he had been too zealous in trying to clean up a district known as "the worst in the United States" for lack of law enforcement.

Representative Celler (Democrat), New York, who sided with LaGuardia in his charges against Cooper, declared one of the difficulties with the case was that it was not free from "politics and prohibition."

### Senate Approves Funds For Geneva Conferences

(By the Associated Press.)

House resolutions appropriating funds for American participation in the arms limitation and economic conferences at Geneva, were approved last night by the Senate to the President.

Both appropriations were requested by Mr. Coolidge. The American delegation to the arms party \$75,000 appropriated while \$15,000 is provided to cover the expenses of the American delegation to the economic conference.

### SLIGHT VALUE SEEN IN 3-POWER SESSION

(Continued from page 1.)

ment could not agree to limit vessels used for defense against submarine attacks, for example. France refused to agree to limit the number of submarines she would build and be in a position to employ.

It is clearly indicated in official circles that the refusal of France to accept the President's proposal for a naval limitations conference is now the chief obstacle to proceeding with Mr. Coolidge's plan. Italy confidentially has advised the United States government she could not participate in such a conference if the French remain absent. And the President himself is understood to believe the British likewise can consider serious participation in the absence of agreements by France.

Thus, the hope which President Coolidge foresaw regarding a limitation conference on his proposal is viewed as being generally based on the possibility of France being persuaded to change her position and accept the invitation she has declined.

One suggestion is that the American representatives to the preparatory commission of the Geneva disarmament conference, which meets March 21, will endeavor to persuade the French delegates to change their viewpoint. The chances of success along this line may be enhanced, it is believed here, if it becomes apparent that the preparatory commission cannot proceed to the League of Nations disarmament conference. Meanwhile, it is explained, persuasive measures may be attempted through diplomatic channels to win French support for the American proposal.

Proposal Misunderstood.

The White House reference to the fact that Mr. Coolidge has suggested limitation of naval armaments and has not mentioned reduction is viewed here with interest. It is aimed at the French and Italian replies, both of which indicated inability in the immediate future to reduce armaments. In each case State Department officials, including Secretary Kellogg, intimated the real purpose of the suggestion was to reduce armaments. The proposal had been imperfectly understood. But the reference to limitation rather than reduction has another possible implication. It is noted. It is taken in some quarters to mean that the United States is not asking the powers to consider reductions which would put America on some sort of rational relative basis of comparative strength in cruisers and similar ships, because America desires to be free to exercise the right to build up to something approaching the strength of Great Britain and Japan. And if there is to be no limit to this limitation, America will be able to outstrip both Great Britain and Japan in the absence of a limitation agreement.

Viewed from this angle, it might well be to the interest of the other powers to agree to a limitation. It is suggested. But, on the other hand, it is pointed out that so long as the United States continues to lag behind in actual construction and so long as there is opposition to actually making a start in cruiser construction, the powers will not seriously consider an agreement on limitations.

Furthermore, yesterday's explanation from the White House has raised the puzzling question of why the administration believed the actual construction of three American cruisers would be limited by the proposed arms limitation conference if no question of reduction was to be involved. It is admitted America would have to build many times three cruisers to approach any limitation on cruiser construction which could be agreed upon between Great Britain, Japan and the United States.

## DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE.

Met at noon March 1 and after recess from 5:40 to 8 p. m. held night session and adjourned at 11 o'clock until today at 12 o'clock.

Held night session for consideration of unobjectionable bills on the calendar.

"Morning hour," from noon until 2 o'clock, was occupied with a filibuster to prevent consideration of resolution to extend life and enlarge scope of "slush fund" investigation committee.

For first time in several years journal was read in full. Points of order were made and rulings of chair debated and appeal taken.

Chairman Warren, of appropriations committee, was denied permission to report the second deficiency appropriation bill, last supply measure to be submitted.

Minority Leader Robinson, of Arkansas, asked unanimous consent for a night session tonight for consideration of "slush fund" resolution, but Senators Reed, of Pennsylvania, and Moses, of New Hampshire, Republicans, promptly objected.

Senator Walsh (Democrat), Massachusetts, spoke for an hour under the cloture rule on prohibition reorganization bill, outlining his resolution for an investigation of economic resources of the country.

Senator Copeland (Democrat), New York, made the first speech on prohibition since cloture was ordered.

Nominations included Col. Wilbur E. Clark, U. S. marshal Eastern Illinois; Nicholson, William C. Brown, Lloyd M. Brett and Thomas B. Dugan, to be brigadier generals on retired list, regular army; Charles W. Clining, Peoria, Illinois, to be U. S. marshal, Southern district of Illinois, and a long list of postmasters.

Members of radio commission authorized by President were: William H. G. Bullard, of Pennsylvania, six-year term; Orestes N. Caldwell, New York, five years; Eugene C. Sykes, Mississippi, four years; Henry A. Bellows, Minnesota, three years, and John F. Dillon, California, two years.

After executive session of two hours, continued nomination of Edgar S. Brossard, Utah; Sherman J. Lowell, New York, and Lincoln Dixon, Indiana, members of tariff commission; Abram F. Myers, of Iowa, member of Federal trade commission; Fred L. Wham, judge Eastern district of Illinois; Arthur R. Clark, U. S. marshal Eastern Illinois; Edmund Gunvaldeen, U. S. marshal district of North Dakota; Richard D. White, U. S. marshal Eastern district of Wisconsin; and Daily collector customs at Duluth; and Emory J. San Soule, collector of customs at San Francisco, California.

Second deficiency bill ordered reported carried a total of \$93,716,752, this being \$29,565,394 in excess of House bill.

After full inquiry public lands committee refused to recommend cancellation of Forest Service contract for forest service timber in Grant county, Oregon.

From elections committee report was made concerning alleged bribery made against him.

HOUSE.

Met at noon March 1 and adjourned at 5:35 p. m. until today at 12 o'clock.

After three hours of debate, passed medicinal liquor manufacturing bill by vote of 309 to 151.

Passed bill authorizing expenditure of \$7,300,000 for erection of an additional office building for House of Representatives.

Interstate commerce committee ordered favorable reports on Senate joint resolution forbidding Federal Power Commission to lease Colorado river and its tributaries until February 1, 1928; authorizing reduced freight rates in emergency cases; joint resolution directed trade commission to investigate activities of persons or corporations engaged in crushing, refining and marketing cotton seed.

Judiciary committee found that charges against Judge Frank Cooper, of Northern New York district, did not warrant impeachment, but censured him for "certain activities."

Acting Secretary of State Grew sent a letter to Chairman Porter, of foreign relations committee, explaining need of additional American troops in Nicaragua to protect Americans in interior out from the seacoast.

## GARRETT CANDIDATE FOR HOUSE SPEAKER

### Party Nominee Will Continue as Minority Leader if Defeated.

(By the Associated Press.)

Representative Finis J. Garrett, of Tennessee, was last night by House Democrats as the party candidate for Speaker in the next Congress. As Republicans will have a safe majority in the House, Mr. Garrett's defeat he automatically would succeed himself as minority floor leader.

Mr. Garrett's name was placed in nomination for Speaker by Representative Byrns, of Tennessee, and seconded by Representative Fox, of North Carolina.

Representative Greenwood, of Indiana, was elected chairman of the caucus, while Representative Arnold, of Illinois, was chosen secretary and Mrs. Norton of New Jersey, the only woman member of the party in Congress, assistant secretary. The House Republicans previously had named Speaker Longworth for reelection in the Seventieth Congress and selected Representative Tilson, of Connecticut, present floor leader, for that post.

Representative John N. Garner, of Texas, was selected to succeed himself as ranking minority member on the ways and means committee, were all other minority members. This committee later will select the Democratic membership for other House committees.

## ARMY HOUSING BILL SENT TO PRESIDENT

(By the Associated Press.)

The second army housing bill, authorizing an appropriation of \$7,115,000 for new barracks and other building needs at various posts throughout the country, was sent to the President yesterday with the House's approval of the conference report.

The measure as finally approved was unchanged except for the addition of House military committee, except for the reduction from \$1,375,000 to \$500,000 for Fort San Antonio at San Antonio, Tex. The fund will be used for new barracks, doing away for the present with plans for a new primary flying school.

An item of \$102,000 for Scott field, Ill., was retained in the bill with provision that it be used for new barracks instead of a hospital.

A bill providing for other housing needs was passed earlier in the session. The House also approved the conference report on the companion bill providing for sale of a number of unused army posts and tracts of land and sent it to the President.

Funds expected to be derived under this measure will be used toward defraying expense of his new housing program.

## WILBUR HOLDS OIL

### CASE RULING COSTS

### DOHENY \$20,000,000

### Navy Hereafter Will Conserve Petroleum in Ground, Says Secretary.

### TO SEEK ROYALTY PLAN FROM PRIVATE FIRMS

### U. S. Wells Will Be Shut Down if Agreement Is Obtained.

The Doheny oil interests are losers to the extent of about \$20,000,000 as a result of Monday's Supreme Court ruling affirming the government's contention that the leases were illegally obtained. Secretary of the Navy Wilbur said yesterday. The navy hereafter will conserve the oil in the ground, Secretary Wilbur announced.

An effort will be made to enter agreements with operators of adjoining properties, the Belridge Oil Co. and the Standard Oil Co. of California, and if it can be arranged with them to give the government a compensating royalty, it is planned to shut down the 21 oil and 2 gas wells of the Elk Hills reserve No. 1, now producing oil and gas.

Rear Admiral H. H. Rousseau, government joint receiver of the property, will conduct negotiations. Secretary Wilbur said the estimated amount of oil in reserve No. 1, is 2,400,000 barrels, of which by up-to-date recovery methods about 720,000 barrels can be obtained.

37,000 Acres in Reserve.

There are 37,000 acres in reserve No. 1, of which 31,000 are government-owned, and private interests, chiefly the Standard Oil Co. of California, own the remaining 6,000. An effort by the government will be made to obtain an agreement with private owners by which oil can be conserved on the ground. Of the 31,000 government-owned acres, 12,000 are oil bearing. The 21 wells have a daily output of 3,800 barrels.

At present there is in the hands of the receivers about \$9,000,000, which represents oil disposed of during litigation. This money will go to the Treasury, although the Navy Department is considering requesting Congress to use a portion of it for ultimate acquisition of the privately owned 6,000 acres.

## U. S. Will Be Requested To Reimburse Oil Funds

New York, March 1 (By A. P.).—A congressional appropriation will be sought to enable the Pan-American Petroleum & Transport Co. to retain payments, estimated at about \$11,000,000, made by the Navy Department for the Elk Hills naval oil reserve development, officials of the company indicated here today.

The United States Supreme Court decision, cancelling the leases on the ground that they were conceived in fraud, ruled that the amounts paid to the company in cash or oil must be refunded because the payments were made without authority of Congress.

The company, explaining the need of the officers of the company are understood to feel confident that the government will not refuse to make restitution. They pointed to the demand taken by Washington concerning confiscatory proceedings in the Mexican oil law situation, and declared that it is inconceivable that confiscatory measures would be taken at home.

The gross liability to be sought by the government may be reduced to the extent of what by counterclaims of the company. Among these will be a claim for \$2,000,000 worth of fuel oil stored at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, which the company claims is its property. A counterclaim also will be made to Congress, it is understood, for the collection of money spent for storage.

## Doheny Ill at His Home; Can Not Discuss Decision

Los Angeles, March 1 (By A. P.).—Edward L. Doheny, chairman of the board of the Pan-American Petroleum Co., was under a physician's care at his home here today. He was reported unable to receive interviewers who sought to obtain his comments and estimate of the loss incurred as the result of the United States Supreme Court decision cancelling the Elk Hills naval oil leases. Mr. Doheny was expected to be at his office again tomorrow.

The Pan-American Petroleum & Transport Co., whose officials were reported in New York dispatches as having indicated today that a congressional appropriation would be sought to reimburse it for expenses incurred in developing the Elk Hills naval oil reserve, was part of the Doheny organization at the time the Elk Hills leases were acquired.

The company was sold by Mr. Doheny two years ago, separating his interests in it from that of the Pan-American Petroleum Co., which is located here. Officials of the latter company said that both companies were involved in the court action which resulted in the government winning its case for cancellation of the leases but that they were unable to say what share of the resulting losses each concern would sustain.

## Bruce Blocks Oil Witness Immunity Bill in Senate

(By the Associated Press.)

Special government oil counsel met a reverse last night in their effort to have Congress pass legislation prohibiting witnesses called in naval oil lease criminal prosecutions from shielding other persons by relying on their constitutional privilege and refusing to answer incriminating questions. Senator Walsh (Democrat), Montana, prosecutor of the Senate oil investigation, sought to have such a bill acted upon by the Senate, but was blocked by objection on the part of Senator Bruce (Democrat), Maryland. The bill has been approved by both the Senate and House judiciary committees and special counsel had hoped for its passage before the adjournment of Congress.

Senator Bruce said the measure might be used to "shield bootleggers" and others, but this was disputed by Senator Walsh, who declared that it not only could not be used to shield any witness, but that it would prevent one person from preventing another being brought to justice.

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## REGULAR ARMY PROMOTIONS.

It is unfortunate for officers of the army that the bill providing for promotion and retirement was not passed by the Senate until last Monday. Because of the fact that the bill was an "original" measure of the Senate military committee, it has little chance in the House during the two remaining days before adjournment. Yet, as explained by Chairman Wadsworth when he presented it for passage, it is of the highest importance in that it provides for the elimination of the "hump" over which promotion of officers whose present commissions are dated July 1, 1920, or later, is practically impossible as the law now stands.

There are 5,800 officers of the military establishment who were all appointed as of that day. They are mostly of the same age and nearly all of the same grade. "The result is," said Chairman Wadsworth, "that for 25 years to come there will be such a condition of stagnation in the matter of promotion in the regular army that the military careers of most of the 5,800 will be utterly destroyed."

He further explained that the bill represents the best opinion of the committee on military affairs as to the way to obviate the situation to absorb the "hump" and to establish a uniform and proper flow of promotion among officers of the regular army. Mr. Wadsworth was so clear in his presentation that, in spite of the fact that the bill had never been formally introduced and referred to the committee, no objection was raised and it was passed unanimously.

Briefly, it provides for a promotion list of all officers of the active list of the line of the army below the grade of colonel, and that such promotion-list officers shall be promoted to the grade of first lieutenant after 3 years' service, to the grade of captain after 10 years, to the grade of major after 17 years, to the grade of lieutenant colonel after 23 years and to the grade of colonel after 28 years' service as commissioned officers.

Provision is also made for the retirement, discharge or placing on the supernumerary list of those officers under certain conditions, and to provide for cash payment or retirement pay for officers who may voluntarily accept such disposition of their active connection with the regular army.

The bill is designed to recognize the services of officers who have been commissioned within the past seven years as on an equality, so far as promotions are concerned, with those commissioned at a date prior to July 1, 1920. The House shall find the opportunity to endorse the action of the Senate before the end of the session, it will serve to brace up the morale of the commissioned personnel of the military establishment in a marked degree. On the other hand, the fact that the Senate has acted upon the matter, after so much care had been expended by its committee on military affairs, will undoubtedly result in favorable action by both houses in the next Congress should it fail of passage by the House this week. It is recognized that something must be done if the morale of the service is to be maintained.

## TWO POWER QUESTIONS.

The claim raised by the State of Alabama and the proposal to have the government operate Muscle Shoals and distribute power there from constitute serious barriers against the employment of capital in power development throughout the United States. Until the questions now agitated are settled in favor of regulated private enterprise and against government intrusion in business, it is highly improbable that capital will be risked in great enterprises that now await development.

Alabama claims ownership of Muscle Shoals dam, basing its claim upon ownership of the river bed. It recognizes the right of the government to improve navigation, but it denies that the government has a right to commercialize the power developed. If Alabama owns the bottom of the river, all other States have similar rights, and therefore the government may hesitate before it approves of further projects on rivers where power development is involved.

The Senate resolution authorizing the government to operate Muscle Shoals and distribute power is a plan for placing the government in business in competition with private enterprise. If this plan should be adopted, it will paralyze further private power development, for no private party will attempt to compete with the government.

The distribution of electric power is under the control of the government and the States, and exorbitant rates can be very quickly prohibited if the authorities are on the job. Whether power companies merge into "one big unit" or remain separate, they are subject to regulation. There is no excuse for the intrusion of the government into the power business or any other business. If there is failure to regulate, the remedy is not found in taking over private business and operating it.

The two questions now raised should be set-

tled, in the interest of the general welfare, which requires that the power resources of the United States should be developed by private enterprise and then regulated for the common interest.

## INDUSTRIES IN WASHINGTON.

Plans for the expansion of industrial activities in Washington and nearby States will be placed on a permanent footing on March 14, when representatives of various civic and commercial bodies meet to form what will be known as the joint industrial council. The movement has been actively agitated for some time, and already a fund has been appropriated by several of the interested bodies to bring to Washington a trained engineer to make a preliminary survey of existing industrial plants in the area. According to the sponsors the plan is to bring in additional "light" manufacturing plants of a nature that will not conflict with plans for city beautification, as a means of providing additional employment opportunities, to make more firm the financial condition of the community, and to eliminate its dependency on the Federal government for its annual pay roll.

The plan thus outlined, properly regulated and controlled, is worthy of general support. It can not be denied that the prosperous community is the self-supporting community, and that turning wheels of industry theoretically make for a contented population. The large modern industrial community is not pleasant, however, nor does Washington want to emulate it. "Light" manufacturing, utilizing electricity or gas for its power source, is unobjectionable provided it is placed in an inconspicuous location and is not permitted to become an eyesore. Washington desires this type of industrial development.

The movement must not be allowed to run away with itself, however, and those who sponsor it must have the courage to discourage heavy, noisy and dirty manufacturing plants, the owners of which may want to locate in Washington. Such action will demand genuine courage, for the temptation to say yes to an offer of a new industry with a large pay roll will be great. The course upon which the joint industrial council is about to embark is beset with pitfalls. It will be of real value to Washington only if it is followed as outlined, without any deviation.

## NEEDLES AND PINS.

The census bureau reports a very heavy falling off in the value of needles, pins, hooks-and-eyes and snap fasteners made in the 48 establishments reporting operations in 1925 as compared with the production of such items in 1923.

This is not strange when it is remembered that in the word "pins" the enumerators include "metal hair pins." Bob hair has reached the zenith of its popularity during the past two years, and that doubtless accounts for a very heavy falling off in the demand for hairpins.

The total value of "common or toilet pins" manufactured was only \$1,362,096, whereas the value of "safety pins" was \$2,192,612, which may or may not have a direct relationship to the number of babies born during 1925.

While reporting the value of needles made the bureau took care to note knitting machine needles as upward of \$4,000,000 and all others, including those for sewing machines, \$1,264,032, and it will be noted that it was deemed unnecessary to mention hand knitting needles.

If the figures giving the value of the latter class of domestic tools for 1918 were available they would probably show a value greater than the aggregate of all other needles combined. That was the year when every member of the fair sex between the ages of 5 and 95 plied the knitting needle "to help win the war." But the war is over, and so is the knitting, while the needles with which the operation was performed have been dumped into the ash barrel with the tin foil and peach pits then so eagerly gathered and saved.

## TRADE WITH CUBA.

There is a lesson in the reports of exports from Cuba that might be advantageous to the cotton growers of the Southern States, but probably it will go unheeded. Ever since the downward trend in the price of sugar and molasses in this country there has been a steady fall in the returns to the sugar planters of the island from their commerce with the United States. In 1926 this decrease amounted to \$10,437,971, as compared with the previous year.

But while there has been a steady decline in the value of the sugar exports an equally steady, though not so extensive, increase in the value of other agricultural products aside from tobacco is noted. The increases were in the exports of vegetables and fruits, henequen and rope, all of which showed gains. These increases indicate that the people of Cuba are turning their attention to the production of something else besides sugar and tobacco which have so long dominated their exports, especially to the United States.

As to the market for American goods in Cuba, the business depression which has existed on the island during the last year or two is likewise reflected in the imports. While the totals are not yet available, 65 per cent of the import needs of the Cubans is furnished by this country, and as there was a drop of 20 per cent in the value of American goods exported to Cuban ports, as compared with \$200,000,000 in 1925, it is safe to estimate that the aggregate imports in 1926 fell approximately \$58,000,000 below the figures of the preceding year. While imports generally showed a decline, exceptions are noted in the Cuban demand for a number of American products, including cotton cloths and hosiery, lard, rice, tires, evaporated milk, gasoline, leathers, lumber, steel sheets and nails and resin.

## STREET PLATFORM BEACONS.

The traffic light scandal has led to an unforeseen and awkward tangle in regard to the flashing beacons installed on loading platforms to guard the public. The House attached a proviso to the District supply bill prohibiting expenditure of any part of the appropriation for "building, installing or maintaining street car loading platforms and lights of any description employed to distinguish same."

The Senate later amended the bill to strike out this language. The traffic scandal was laid bare Wednesday night, and on Friday, acting under the influence of the disclosures, the Senate

conference withdrew their amendment, leaving the language in the bill.

If the appropriation bill is passed containing the clause, District officials can no longer have anything whatsoever to do with the beacons. They will not be able to install additional equipment, nor will they even be able to pay for the electricity necessary to run those already installed. They will lack the authority necessary to require the car company to continue their operation, there will be no funds available with which to remove them, and there will be no authority to direct their removal by the company. In all probability those installed will be abandoned, to stand unlighted in the middle of the street as hazards to all oncoming traffic.

Loading platforms should at all times be marked as danger points, either by the automatic flashing beacons, or the old standby red lantern. The beacon is more modern, of course, and more in keeping with what a city of Washington's size and importance should have. It would be unfortunate if ramifications of the scandal probe should force their discontinuance, and it may be taken for granted that Congress does not so intend. By recording the limiting clause it should not be difficult to provide funds to continue the operation of the beacons and at the same time make certain that no money will be available to purchase additional equipment until the probe is completed. It is to be hoped that in the comparatively few hours remaining Congress will clarify the situation.

## FIGHTING STARLINGS.

The city of Reading, Pa., has been visited by a scourge of starlings. Thousands of these birds made the steeple of Christ Episcopal church their nightly nesting place until their presence became intolerable. Residents attempted to drive them away with firearms, unsuccessfully, however, and as a last resort some one purchased a supply of Fourth of July roman candles, notified the fire department to hold itself in readiness and started in earnest to drive out the intruders.

Each night, for some time, firemen have swung themselves by ropes on the outside of the steeple, each armed with a plentiful supply of the fireworks. Other firemen have been stationed inside the steeple with buckets of water handy in case of a blaze. At a given signal the barrage is begun, and the birds fly screaming in terror from the brownstone tower in such numbers as to obscure a large electric sign 150 feet away. After the first night of pyrotechnics only about half the birds returned. Each night the number remaining is smaller, and it has been announced that the campaign will be continued until the birds are vanquished.

Washington might study this undertaking with profit. It looks very much as though the number of starlings coming to roost around the District building and in the park opposite is on the increase. Use of a fire hose with which to drive them away has not been successful. Roman candles, however, undoubtedly would turn the trick. It is important to note that the Reading Humane society has given this method of treatment its approval, for a check-up after one display showed only five dead birds, none of them burned, but all with their necks broken by flying against buildings in the dark. The general public would be very much pleased if the fire department would obtain a supply of roman candles, rope off the affected area late some night and drive away the obnoxious visitors in a blaze of pyrotechnical glory.

## ARE TICKET BROKERS EXEMPT?

The next move is up to the commissioner of internal revenue in the matter of the resale of theater tickets. On Monday the United States Supreme Court handed down an opinion in which it held that the New York State law which fixes a maximum price which may be charged for theater tickets is unconstitutional and void.

The basis of the opinion is that the theater business is not a business with a public interest justifying legislative fixing of maximum prices, which the law of New York undertook to do. One of the ticket brokers of New York city was convicted of violating the law and appealed on constitutional grounds to the court of last resort.

There have been many complaints against the exactions of ticket brokers in the resale of theater tickets in Washington from time to time, although as a rule the charge above the regular admission has not been exorbitant when compared with the demands of the ticket dealers in Manhattan, who frequently insist upon double the advertised price for choice seats. There was a movement on foot to bring the matter of fixing a maximum resale charge to the attention of Congress last winter with a view to legislation similar to the New York law. However, as that has been declared unworkable by the Supreme Court the local movement will probably be abandoned.

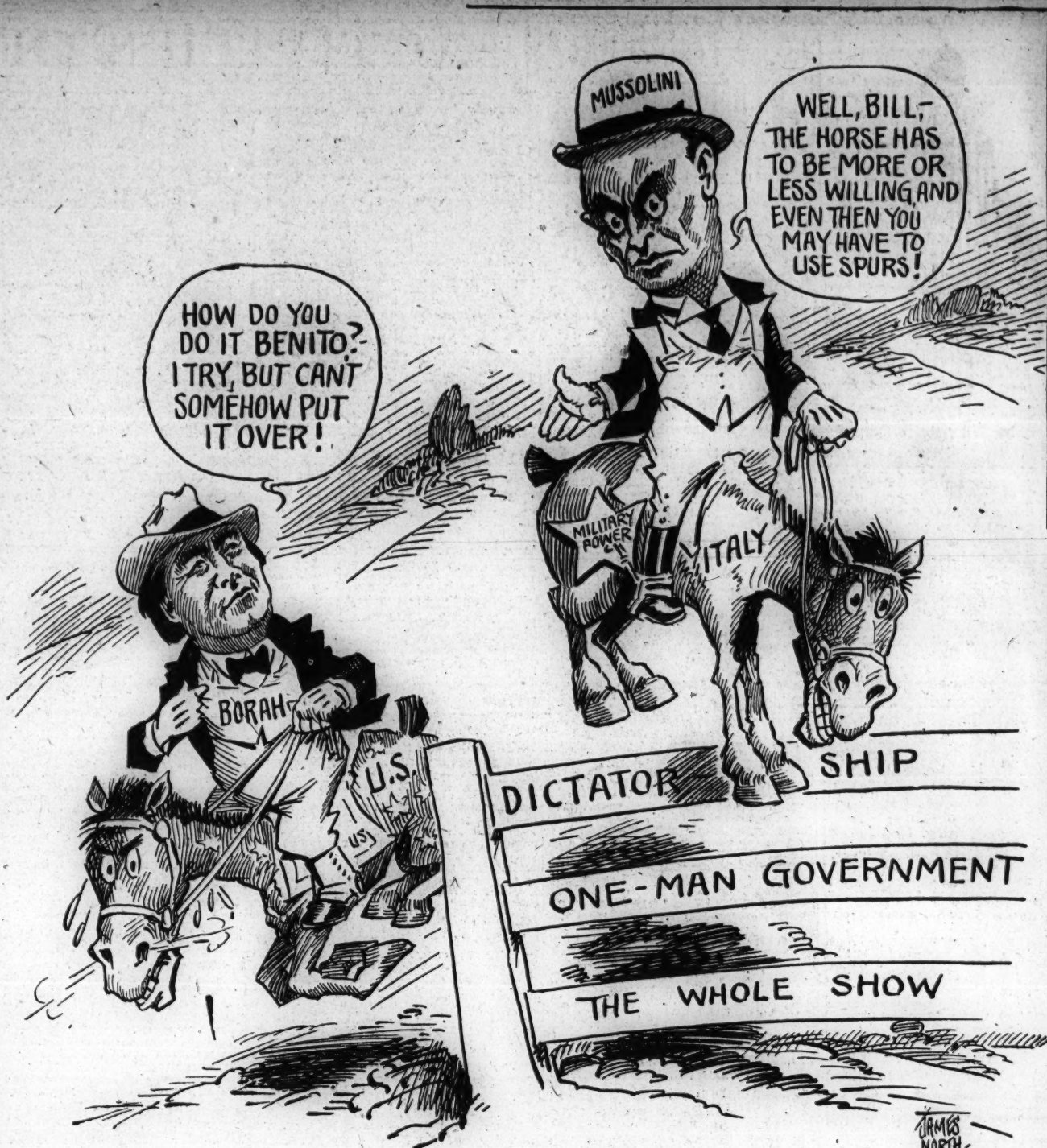
But it is pointed out by some of those who consider themselves aggrieved that whenever a ticket for a performance is purchased at the box office of a theater a specific additional charge of 10 per cent is exacted as a revenue tax, but then when an additional price is paid to the outside speculator that gentleman invariably fails to collect the revenue tax upon the sum that he adds to the regular price of the ticket.

The question naturally arises, why does the collector of internal revenue permit that broker to sell tickets at an advance over original prices without collecting and reporting the additional tax?

Representative Gibson's suggestion that the President be authorized to appoint a condemnation jury commission composed of non-residents of the District should not receive serious consideration. The proposal is a deliberate affront to the integrity of residents of Washington. There is no reason to believe that the government would be better protected in the acquisition of Mall triangle property by a nonresident than by a resident body. The nonresident jury would be ignorant of local conditions and could not function effectively.

There's one good thing about hard times. The people won't stand for official graft.

The real trouble-maker is the one who lives beyond his neighbors' means.



Equestrian Amenities.

## PRESS COMMENT.

**Scant Subject Matter.**  
 Indianapolis News: When the approaching March winds look at a skirt it must realize that it has very little upon which to work.

**Saturation Points.**  
 Kenbridge News: We don't know when the auto will reach the "saturation" point but the driver usually gets that way on Saturday nights.

**Would There Were Others.**  
 Cincinnati Enquirer: Half of the Christians today get their religion from their neighbors, says a Kentucky blasphe. One thing that's borrowed and rarely kept.

**The World's Work.**  
 Holton Signal: Most of the world's work is done by the plodders and pluggers who, wishing for the heights, have gone ahead and done the best they could in the valley.

**A Cheaper Plan.**  
 Atchison Globe: So the government is to spend \$10,000,000 to tie the corn borer to a stake and burn him. Of course, the cost of the string will use up a considerable part of that amount, and the bureau of tiers won't work for nothing. Paying so much a scalp for borers might be a cheaper plan.

**The Whipping Post.**  
 Austin Herald: There has been considerable speculation about the fate of the whipping post bill, and it is reported that many legislators sort of shrink at the thought of imposing the penalty that has been so effective in Canada, but which in the minds of some people is linked with things barbarous. So far coincidences have not favored the bill. But should some crime occur that stirs the public indignation at about the time the bill comes up for consideration, it would become a law.

**Spare and Spares.**  
 Philadelphia Inquirer: Girls who believe in being prepared for any emergency are now equipping themselves with an extra stocking to match the pair they are wearing, which can hastily be slipped on in the event of an accident, mud or a runner, for instance. There's nothing new under the sun, however. The automobile originated the idea of the "spare," which in itself was merely a later development of the foresight a man used to have when he carried a safety pin to repair the sudden loss of a suspender button.

**Roads to Fortune.**  
 Rochester Times-Union: There are three roads to fortune, but only one of them relatively sure of ending in that desirable state. These roads are inheritance, speculation and systematic investment. The simplest and most direct route to wealth is that of investment.

It is slow and affords a few of the thrills that come to the speculator. But it is sure. The first step on the way to systematic investment is to save. Spending less than you earn; buying nothing you can do without, are preparations for this journey. Then with the next egg in hand, look around for safe investments in real estate or well-known securities. Find some concern in your own community that has permanence behind it. With your money make a first payment and increase your holdings with every additional saving. Real estate has been a road to fortune for many families. It is still a money-

## The Best Medicine

By ROBERT QUILLEN

THE patient doesn't always give the doctor full credit for his share of the cure, but a good doctor always gives the patient credit for his share. Good doctors, in fact, agree that a cure is about one part medicine, one part nature and one part faith. Thus it happens that the people most easily cured of commonplace disorders are ignorant people. The ignorant labor under a handicap, of course; for they do not understand the value of sanitation. But this handicap is offset by their ignorance itself. Ignorance keeps them poor; poverty forces them to labor; labor makes them hardy, and hardiness overcomes disease germs.

In this particular they get an even break. The advantage of their ignorance consists in the fact that they stand in awe of the doctor. They do what he tells them to do; they believe what he says, and they have faith in his ability to make them well.

The reward of this faith is a cheerful frame of mind, and this, which is the product of hope, usually is worth more than the medicine prescribed by the doctor. Physicians and nurses make the least satisfactory patients simply because they know too much. And intelligent laymen who study a prescription and inform themselves concerning the value, history and common usage of its ingredients are little more satisfactory.

A little learning is a dangerous thing in this, as in other instances. For years there has been agitation against the ancient practice of writing prescriptions in Latin. It is charged that physicians cling to it to give their portions an undesired dignity.

Whatever their motive, the practice is not without virtue. Any psychologist can tell you an expensive medicine with a venerable name will prove more potent than it could hope to be if it had a simple name and sold for a nickel.

In an argument it is futile to stake your prejudice against the other fellow's common sense.

Wealth brings great responsibility. Henry Ford is kept busy trying to think of extraordinary things to say to interviewers.

Correct this sentence: "I had the shock of my life last night," said Grace, "when Harold tried to kiss me, and he having gone with me only two years."

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maker. Nothing is more secure. And with the growth of cities, nothing is so certain of increasing in value as the years roll on.

**The Blessed State.**  
 Baltimore Sun: One of Harvard's deans recommends an expansion of the university for reasons which include "the present demand for teachers."

due to the remarkable growth of colleges and universities." This part of his argument calls up an interesting picture of institutions striving to produce enough teachers to handle, in their turn, the work of producing enough teachers to meet an ever-increasing demand for teachers to teach teachers! Will American educators thus attain the blessed state of the land where, as rumor has it, the natives earn their livings by doing each other's washing?

**What's in a Name?**  
 New York Evening Post: What's in a name? Well, real estate men think it pays to be known as realtors; undertakers have become morticians, and now hairdressers have gone the length of having a bill introduced at Albany describing them as cosmetologists. We have always used the rather grandiloquent word "conductor" for the official whom Europeans more curtly term "guard," and there is a subtlety about such a mere "lift." But the hairdressers have something to advance in behalf of their desired change of name besides the orthopedic superiority of "cosmetologist." Nowadays they are much more than hairdressers. They are beauty specialists. As such they are entitled to a name which more accurately suggests their varied functions.

**Of Small Importance.**  
 Richmond Times-Dispatch: Overproduction of cotton doesn't bother the glorified American girl.

**A Kind Word.**  
 San Diego Union: Still, we Californians don't deny that Florida's climate has it all over ours for variety.

**Spring on the Farm.**  
 Philadelphia Record: If a man's business is concerned with the change of seasons he will think about spring. If his business is to write he will write about spring. If his business is to wrest a living from the ground he will go forth and plow the warming acres. There is a long field, gently sloping toward the sun. Through the dead months it lay barren, inert; nothing but mud. Now the ministry of light and heat has changed its condition into readiness for the work ahead. Great white horses, three abreast, tramp victoriously over its clods, and back of them a deep, sweet-smelling furrow trails its pattern across the brown. Men guide their course, steady, the heavy plow. The three horses, plainly glad to be starting on the serious business of the coming season, have a Roman look about them, with their heads tossing in turn and the stiff wind streaming from their manes. It might be a chariot had upon their heels; the chariot of Man, the victor, riding triumphantly over Earth, the conquered.

## FIVE MILLION YEARS.

Five million years! That figure does not represent the age of the universe or the coming of the millennium. It is the period for which the British government paid unemployment insurance benefits from the beginning of 1921 to the general strike eight months ago, says the Newcastle Courier. That is, the number of unemployed multiplied by the number of dole hours each was paid for equals 5,000,000 years.

Vast as it is, it is not an inclusive figure for the depression period in England. The general strike and its aftermath are not included. Neither were included the days of unemployment for those not insured against that contingency, or insured but disqualified.

For those who are prone to think that humanity has solved all its great problems, the British unemployment figures may come to mind as a useful corrective for complacency. It records the extent of waste and human maladjustment in a single great industrial period of trade stagnation.

Five million wasted years—not pleasantly idle but filled with bitterness, anxiety and suffering for those seeking work and unable to find it, and who had to be fed, clothed and housed by those fortunate enough to have work. Here a problem worth the attention of those who would prove that man is master of his own destiny.

## THE CZAR'S JEWELS.

Recent estimates of \$250,000,000 in crown jewels held by the soviet government in the vaults of the Kremlin appear to have been far below the truth, comments the New York Times. The value of the treasures piled up by the czars in the course of 1,000 years is now placed at a billion dollars.

The soviet government proposes to make use of these vast resources in the development of the national industries, which are badly in need of money. This suggests that history and the opinion of mankind have been something less than just to the former imperial autocrats of Muscovy.

It has been the usual thing to say of the Russian crown jewels, as of all crown treasures, that they were wrung from the blood and tears and sweat of the people for the gratification of its rulers.

This harsh judgment may now have to be revised, from the communist point of view. It is an open question whether the czars have not in the long run done well by the soviet regime in immobilizing huge sums of money in the form of diamonds, pearls, emeralds, sapphires, rubies, amethysts, turquoise and golden crowns and scepters.

Had the czars spent the money on establishing a prosperous peasantry on the land, their work would have been undone when communism abolished private property. Had the czars voted the money to the fostering of popular education, it would have all been wasted; it would have been a bourgeois-capitalist education and so to be uprooted in favor of communist science, communist history, communist mathematics, etc.

Had the czars devoted their tax revenues to developing Russian industry, it would have all had to be rebuilt on the proletarian model. The money would have been spent, and when the bolshevik revolution got through with Russian industry there would have been nothing to show for it. As it is, the crown jewels can now be sold to foreign capitalists for cash.

Of course, it might be said that if the czars had expended the billion dollars of peasant taxes on industry, agriculture and education there might not have been a revolution. But from the communist point of view, this would have been the greatest misfortune of all.



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## ACTIVITIES OF WASHINGTON SOCIETY

THE President and Mrs. Coolidge were the guests in whose honor the Secretary of Labor and Mrs. James J. Davis entertained at dinner last evening at the Carlton hotel.

There were 86 guests, including the Pennsylvania delegation in Congress and their wives, and the other guests were the Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Andrew Mellon; the Secretary of the Interior, Dr. Hubert Work; the First Assistant Secretary of Labor and Mrs. Robt. Carl White, the Lieut. Gov. of Pennsylvania and Mrs. Arthur James, Mrs. William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, and Mrs. Green; Judge and Mrs. George W. Maxey, of Scranton, Pa.; Mrs. Harry Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Winlow, Mr. and Mrs. Worthington Scranton, of Scranton, Pa.; Col. and Mrs. Eric Wood, of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. Malcolm McCall, of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Davis, of Detroit, Mich.; the former a brother of Secretary Davis; Mrs. McDill McCormick, Mrs. H. H. Strong, Mrs. Mary Roberts Rinehart and her sister, Mrs. C. A. Barton, of Pennsylvania, and Mr. Barton, Mrs. Benjamin Oswald, of Batavia, Ill.; Lieut. Webb, Mr. John Hays Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook and Mr. Johnson.

Mrs. Coolidge yesterday attended the Senate ladies' luncheon at the Capitol. It was the last of the luncheons for the season.

The Vice President and Mrs. Dawes were the guests in whose honor Mrs. Thomas J. Walsh entertained at dinner last evening. The guests were the Belgian Ambassador and Baroness de Cartier, the Argentine Ambassador and Mrs. Pueyrredon, the German Ambassador and Baroness Maltzan, the Chilean Ambassador, Senor Cruchaga; the Minister of Hungary and Countess Szechenyi, the Minister of Austria and Mrs. Prochnicki, Senator Arthur Capper, Senator David I. Walsh, Representative A. Platt Andrews, Justice and Mrs. Harlan F. Stone, Mrs. Lals, wife of the naval attaché at the Italian embassy; Count de Buenavista, of the Peruvian embassy; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pinchot, Mr. and Mrs. Merthant Mahoney, Mrs. John Allan Dougherty, Mrs. Gibson Fainstock, Mrs. Charles Boughton Wood, Mrs. James Carroll Fraser, Mrs. Annestad Davis, Miss Mabel Boardman, Col. and Mrs. Edward Clifford, Col. William Horton, Dr. David Jayne Hill and Mr. Ira Bennett.

The Ambassador of Brazil, Mr. S. Gurgel do Amaral, entertained 96 guests at dinner Monday evening at the embassy.

The women of the cabinet will not receive this afternoon, nor will they be at home on the following Wednesday afternoons during Lent.

Mrs. Kellogg Departs.

The Secretary of State, Mr. Kellogg, departed Sunday for a visit of two or three weeks on a large plantation near Charleston, S. C.

Mrs. Kellogg departed for St. Paul, Minn., to visit her brother, Dr. Paul Cooke, who is ill. She will return in a few weeks.

Mme. Alfaro, wife of the Minister of Panama, will be at home Friday from 5 to 7.

The Minister of the Irish Free State and Mrs. Timothy Smiddy entertained at dinner last evening at Carlton hotel in honor of the Secretary of State and Mrs. Kellogg. The dinner was served in the patio and there were 50 guests. In the absence of Secretary and Mrs. Kellogg, who were unable to attend because of illness, the ranking guests were the British Ambassador and Lady Isabella Howard.

The Minister of Czechoslovakia, Mr. Zdenek Fierlinger, entertained at dinner Monday night in honor of the Ambassador of Spain and Dona de Padilla. There were 18 guests.

The Assistant Military Attaché of the French Embassy and Mme. Georges Tenault have returned to Washington after passing several months in the South and are stopping at the Fairfax. They will depart in April for France on a vacation.

The attaché of the Swiss legation, Mr. W. Rufenacht, entertained at a small tea yesterday.

Mr. Raoul Tilmont, retiring secretary of the Belgian embassy, will depart tomorrow and will sail Friday night from New York on the Penland for Belgium, where he will be a short time before going to his new post.

## Mrs. McNary Honored.

Mrs. Charles L. McNary, wife of Senator McNary, was the guest of honor at a bridge tea yesterday of Mrs. Edmund K. Webster, who entertained at the Chevy Chase club. The guests were Mrs. Leroy Hight, Mrs. H. Prescott Gately, Mrs. Myles Whitcover, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. George Burr, Mrs. Sellar, Mrs. Woods, Mrs. Tudor Rogers, Mrs. Stiles.

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Mr. Oscar T. Crosby, former Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, sails today from New York for southwest Africa. He will pass several months making studies of secluded natives. Mrs. Crosby and her daughter, Countess Miriam Caracciolo, will remain in Washington some weeks longer before going to their home, View Tree Hall, near Warren, Va.

Capt. and Mrs. John R. Edie will be hosts at dinner Saturday evening.

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Thomas Holcomb will entertain at tea on Saturday from 4 to 7 o'clock.

Col. and Mrs. Joseph Adams Baer entertained at dinner Monday evening in honor of Countess Giroux de Fernon. The other guests were Mr. Eufensch, attaché of the Swiss legation, Mr. and Mrs. Demarest, Lloyce Col. Stanley Ford, Mr. George Bond Cochran and Miss Anne Squire.

Lieut. and Mrs. William D. Thomas are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter Thursday. Mrs. Thomas formerly was Miss Helen Mayne.

Mrs. Samuel Jordan Graham will entertain at luncheon Saturday in honor of Mrs. Bayard.

## Denbys Sail.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Denby, Jr., who passed a few days in New York at the Hotel Weylin, sailed yesterday for Bermuda.

Mrs. James M. Beck has returned to Washington from New York, where she

went to bid bon voyage to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. S. Pinckney Tuck.

Mrs. John S. Abbott entertained at dinner last evening at the Washington Arts club for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. John S. Abbott, Jr., whose husband, Capt. Abbott, is at present with the United States naval mission to Peru.

Mrs. Jesse Emerson Moffatt entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Chevy Chase club in honor of Mrs. Samuel C. Major, wife of Representative Major. The guests were: Mrs. Royal S. Copeland, Mrs. E. Hart Fenn, Mrs. Richard Yates, Mrs. Fred S. Furnell, Mrs. William E. Hull, Mrs. Boyd Carpenter, Mrs. Eldridge J. Moore, Mrs. Peter A. Drury, Mrs. Harry K. Daugherty, Mrs. Nathaniel B. Dial, Mrs. J. W. Price, Baroness von Below, Mrs. C. J. Williamson, Mrs. C. T. White, Mrs. Frysinger, Mrs. Theodore Porter, Mrs. John C. Walker, Mrs. Watson Freeman Clark, Mrs. Leon Cole, of Madison, Wis.; Mrs. Henry Albers, Mrs. T. A. Simpson, Mrs. Charles P. Craig, Mrs. Frank S. Hight, Mrs. James W. Carmalt, Mrs. James C. Penn, Mrs. George R. Smith, Mrs. William F. Dennis, Mrs. James Shera Montgomery, Mrs. Rust Smith, Mrs. Enos Newman, Mrs. Eugene Fomeroy, Mrs. J. J. Joyce, Mrs. Richard N. Cutts, Mrs. Charles B. Hatch, Mrs. H. L. Rice, Mrs. Frederick Irving Cox, Mrs. Ollie James, Mrs. Frank Hopkins, Mrs. Edmund Horgan, Mrs. James Florence Kelsey, Mrs. H. Tudor Mossell, Mrs. Karl Loos, Mrs. Charles Le Fevre, Mrs. William MacCracken, Jr., Mrs. J. Raymond McCarl, Mrs. John Marshall, Mrs. Fraser Mitchell, Mrs. Herbert Moffatt, Mrs. J. Gilbert Nettleton, Mrs. Frank Nesbitt, Mrs. Halbert Payne, Mrs. Axel Oxholm, Mrs. Halbert Payne, Mrs. James Phelan, Mrs. Harry Perry, Mrs. Edward McLeod, Mrs. Henry J. Richardson, Mrs. William Smith, Mrs. Gilbert Smith, Mrs. Paul Shorb, Mrs. Frederick Schreiber, Mrs. William Schofield, Mrs. Ernest Van Posaen, Mrs. Kenneth Wales, Mrs. Frank Wood, Mrs. Mildred Yeager, Mrs. William R. Val-

ance and Mrs. Stanley Winthrop Schaefer, of Wynote, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy will have as their guest at the Wardman Park hotel for an extended visit Mrs. Stanley Winthrop Schaefer, of Wynote, Pa.

Mrs. Lindsay Morehead and Mr. Brantly entertained at luncheon yesterday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hoff, of Paris.

Mrs. Hoff entertained at tea yesterday at the Mayflower.

## Miss Hall Is Wed.

The wedding of Miss Helen Frances Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Fairfax Hall, of 3112 Thirty-sixth street, Cleveland Park, to Mr. Arthur Gerald Logan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Logan, of New Jersey, took place last evening at 8 o'clock at St. Alban's Episcopal church, the Rev. Charles T. Warner officiating. White roses were on the altar and the church was decorated with white carnations and jessamine. "Cantabile," of Demarest, and "Messe de Mariage," of Du Bois, were played before the service.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of bridal satin and tulle, made with a long, tight bodice of satin set on a yoke of tulle, and a long, full skirt made of ruffles of tulle. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses, orchids and lilies of the valley. Miss Mildred Whag-

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The National Association of Retail Druggists, the 46 State Pharmaceutical Associations and the Affiliated County and City Associations of Retail Druggists in this Country will apprise Their Many Patrons of this Commendable Service.

The Efforts of Retail Druggists in Opposition to the Whiskey Monopoly Bill are in Pursuance of an Intention, as Expressed by them in the Following Resolutions Adopted by State Associations last summer, to see that laws inimical to the public welfare are not enacted:

**RESOLVED**, That all Retail Druggists of this State get in touch with Candidates for Congress and all other Public Offices who have proved themselves friendly to Retail Druggists and Drug Store Patrons, or who Promise to Promote the Public Welfare by the Proper Recognition of the Drug Trade and Pharmacy.

## Analysis of Existing Laws Proving Further Medicinal Whiskey Legislation Unnecessary

1. The representation that the Whiskey Monopoly Bill is necessary to promote law enforcement and the public welfare is not the fact. Existing law is ample for all purposes.

2. The present law authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to concentrate existing stocks of whiskey in as few bonded warehouses as he may designate (42 Stat. 375, The Concentration Act approved February 17, 1922). Under this law the Secretary of the Treasury has already concentrated stocks of whiskey into thirty-seven bonded warehouses from approximately two hundred, and may further concentrate.

3. The present law authorizes the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, to grant or withhold permits to manufacture and distribute whiskey and all other kinds of intoxicating liquor. (Controlling decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in *Ma-King Products Company vs. Davis H. Blair*, Commissioner, 271 U. S. 479; 46 Sup. Ct. Rep. 544; 70 Law Ed. 1046, June, 1926). This decision overrules the opinion of Attorney General, Vol. 32, Opinions of Attorney General, p. 467; rendered in 1921. The Treasury Department may therefore limit the permits to manufacture whiskey for medicinal purposes to not less than two nor more than six.

4. Existing law imposes a fine of not more than \$1,000.00 and imprisonment not more than three years "if any person shall affix, or cause to be affixed to or upon any cask or package containing, or intended to contain, distilled spirits, any imitation stamp or other engraved, printed, stamped, or photographed label, device, or token, whether same be designed as a trade-mark, caution notice, caution, or otherwise, and which shall be in the similitude or likeness of, or shall have the resemblance or general appearance of, any Internal Revenue stamp required by law to be affixed to or upon any cask or package containing distilled spirits." (Section 17, Act of February 8, 1875; 18 Stat. 307). Every bottle of medicinal whiskey released under Government permit bears the Internal Revenue stamp of the United States Government. Every pint of medicinal whiskey dispensed by the retail druggist must be bottled-in-bond and bear this stamp. Both distillers and retail druggists are under heavy bond, and severe penalties are imposed by both the National Prohibition Act and the Internal Revenue laws for infraction.

5. Legalized medicinal whiskey is not used for the manufacture of "bootleg" liquor, but alcohol and "moonshine" are. The Prohibition Unit has publicly announced that 90 per cent of its seizures consists of "bootleg" whiskey with alcohol as the base.

6. The purity of medicinal spirits is safeguarded both by the Federal and the State laws. The standard for whiskey as a medicine is fixed in the United States Pharmacopoeia. Any retail druggist selling below standard is subject to the revocation of his license as a registered pharmacist under the State pharmacy laws and to the revocation of his Federal permit under the national law because the dispensing of "cut" whiskey by a retail druggist is not dispensing of whiskey in good faith for medicinal purposes.

7. The bill limits the price at which the two to six exclusive permittees shall buy existing stocks of whiskey, which is in their interest; but does not limit the price at which they may sell this whiskey and their own to the corporation provided for in H. R. 15601, submitted by the Treasury Department and rejected by the Ways and Means Committee. Nor does the bill limit the price at which the corporation may sell to the public through retail druggists. The only limitation in the bill as to the selling price to retail druggists and the public is that it shall be a "fair and reasonable price," to be determined by the corporation, composed of the exclusive permittees named by the Secretary of the Treasury.

8. There is no necessity for the proposed legislation, unless it be to enable certain selfish interests to control the manufacture and distribution of medicinal whiskey.

9. Finally, retail druggists object to being placed before the public in the position of "profiteers" as an excuse for a Federal statute inspired by selfish interests for the benefit of selfish interests, the effect of which would be to leave the retail druggists and the public at the mercy of an unscrupulous monopoly.

The following signatures of officers of the National, State and local pharmaceutical associations are appended with express authorization after a careful study of the analysis of both the Green and Hawley bills by the association officers:

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TO FOLLOW BAN ON CARSSenior Official Has Doubts  
Whether Council Would Have  
Approved Ruling.

## ENTIRE SCHOOL TO VOTE

Princeton, N. J., March 1 (By A. P.).—Without a senior council for the first time since 1906 the undergraduates of Princeton university today began formulating plans for the organization of a new student governing body which would represent all classes of the institution.

Officers of the four classes have taken over the governmental reins discarded by the senior council because it had not been elected by the board of trustees in the issuance of an edict prohibiting the use of automobiles by undergraduates. The senior council, although it represented all undergraduates, was chosen from the senior class by seniors, and the temporary governing body announced that a constitution would be submitted which would provide for the election of a body by all students.

Joseph Prendergast, president of the senior council, today was doubtful whether the body would have approved of the automobile ban. He questioned the fairness of upper-class men, with their time at the university limited to months, passing upon a ruling which would affect some who still have several years to pass at Princeton.

He explained, however, that that was not the reason for the resignations. He said the board of trustees has a committee which was supposed to consult the senior council before promulgating new regulations.

New York, March 1 (By A. P.).—Resignation of the Princeton student council as a protest against the university ruling against undergraduate maintenance of automobiles was "perfectly justified" in the opinion of the Spectator, student publication of Columbia university.

"It (the council) had passed a sane ruling on a problem that came within its jurisdiction," said the local campus organ. "It refused to listen to dictation from above, and when the trustees went over its head, it took the only possible course—resignation."

Captain and His Crew  
Held; Ship Labeled

Philadelphia, March 1 (By A. P.).—The captain and 16 members of the British steamer *Clackamas*, charged with smuggling liquor, were held in jail for removal to New York, N. J., for trial today by a Federal commissioner, simultaneously with the issuance of a libel attachment against the vessel by the Federal district court.

The ship's company was placed under arrest last Friday night after M. J. Long, the wireless operator, had alleged they had landed 10,000 cases of liquor at Newark, N. J. The commissioner fixed bail at \$5,000 for Capt. J. H. S. MacDonald and \$1,000 each for the crew.

## New York Society.

Special to The Washington Post.  
New York, March 1.—Lady Lister-Kaye, of the Ambassador, starts today for Washington to attend a dinner at the British embassy.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Beck came from Washington accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Tuck and are at the Hotel Gotham. Mr. and Mrs. Tuck sailed on the *Leviathan*. Mr. Tuck is returning to his post as consul at Geneva.

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. J. William Kilbreth, who have been in Atlantic City for the past week, have returned to their apartment at the new hotel, Elysée.

Mrs. Hector H. Havemeyer and Miss Dorothy B. Havemeyer, of Mayfair House, have gone to Washington, where they will be at the Wardman Park hotel for two weeks.

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## CAPITAL SOCIETY EVENTS

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ley was maid of honor. Her gown was of shell-pink tulle, faced with rose tulle, made in period style, with the skirt shorter in front than in back. She carried butterfly roses in a light shower effect. Miss Mildred Curran and Miss Mary Volkhardt were bridesmaids. Their gowns were made like that of the maid of honor, in rose pink tulle, faced with a still deeper shade of rose. All of the attendants wore picture hats of horsehair and tulle to match their gowns, and they carried deep pink Columbia roses.

Mr. Rodney Mitchell was best man, and the ushers were Mr. John Bergan, Mr. Wendall Morganhauer, of Harrisburg, Pa.; Mr. James Sexton, Jr., and Mr. Horace Pittenger, of Asbury Park, N. J. A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents. The house was decorated with spring flowers and pink roses were in the dining room. Mrs. Hall, mother of the bride, wore a straight-line gown of gold lace made over cloth of gold, and Mrs. Logan, mother of the bridegroom, was gown in gray satin draped to the left side and held with a rhinestone ornament. After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Logan departed on their wedding trip through the North, the latter wearing a beige dress, with hose and shoes to match, and a beige coat trimmed with rose fox on the collar and cuffs. She wore a small orchid hat. They will live in Baltimore. Among the out-of-town guests for the wedding were Mr. H. J. Halle, of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Dubbs, of Wilmette, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Belknap, of New York; Mr. C. E. Reid, of Wichita, Kans.; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Griffiths, of Akron, Ohio; Mr. Karl Steinman, of Baltimore; and Mr. Cornelius Mundy, of Baltimore.

Mrs. James A. Mars entertained at tea at the Mayflower Monday. Her guests were Mrs. Charles H. Robb, Mrs. Thelma B. Dial, Mrs. Philip Morrison, Mrs. Henry Randall Elliott, Mrs. Julien Jacquelin Mason, Mrs. Claude S. Pries, Mrs. John H. Rimmerson, Jr., and Mrs. Isabella M. Boniface.

Mrs. Wells Returns.  
Mrs. Wells has returned from a two weeks' visit in New York, where she was the guest of Mrs. Junius Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. George Riley and their son, Mr. William Riley, of Goshen, Ind., are staying at the Lafayette hotel, visiting their daughter, Miss Janet Riley, who is a student at the Holton Arms school.

Miss Elizabeth Pendleton Cox, of Ashland, Va., is visiting Miss Eugenia Walker.

Mrs. A. M. Randolph and daughter, Miss Virginia Randolph, of Warrenton, Va., are guests at the Powhatan.

Mrs. Chandler Johnson entertained at luncheon and bridge yesterday at the Parrot, when there were 36 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sanderson Leroy will have as their guest at the Wardman Park hotel for an extended visit, Mrs. Stanley Winthrop Schaefer, of Wynnton, Pa.

Mrs. Leroy entertained at luncheon in the Florentine room at the Wardman Park hotel yesterday in honor of Mrs. Robert Ash, Mrs. Samuel Ansell, Mrs. Clyde Asher, Mrs. Edward Bailey, Mrs. Joel T. Boone, Mrs. Harold Brooks, Mrs. Donald Conn, Mrs. Wilson Compton, Mrs. W. A. Graham Clark, Mrs. Bruce Clark, Mrs. Alexander Cooper, Mrs. Alvin Dodd, Mrs. Atwood Fisher, Mrs. Parkes Gallagher, Mrs. Charles Hatfield, Mrs. Frank Hopkins, Mrs. Edmund Horan, Miss Florence Kelsey, Mrs. H. Tudor Morsell, Mrs. Karl Loos, Mrs. Charles LeFevre, Mrs. William MacCracken, Jr., Mrs. J. Raymond McCall, Mrs. John Marshall, Miss Fraser Mitchell, Mrs. Herbert Moffatt, Mrs. J. Gilbert Vestleton, Mrs. Frank Neesh, Mrs. Newcome, Mrs. Axel Oxholm, Mrs. Halbert Payne, Mrs. James Phalen, Mrs. Henry J. Richardson, Mrs. William Smith, Mrs. Gilbert Smith, Mrs. Paul Shorb, Mrs. Frederic Schreiber, Mrs. William Schofield, Mrs. Ernest Van Fossan, Mrs. Kenneth Wales, Mrs. Frank Weed, Miss Mildred Yaeger, Mrs. William R. Vallance and Mrs. Stanley Winthrop Schaefer, Mrs. Leroy's guests.

Pugsleys Here.  
Former Representative C. A. Pugsley and son, Mr. Chester D. Pugsley, of Peakskill, N. Y., have arrived in Washington for a short visit and are at the Willard. Both are New York State bankers.

Mrs. V. Marshall Clifton, of Wardman Park hotel, entertained at a small tea at the Congressional Country club Sunday before the mustel. Mrs. Clifton and her daughter, Mrs. Leland Dotson Webb, will depart for Florida the middle of the month to be gone several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Biddle, of Philadelphia, are passing several days at the Carlton hotel.

Mrs. Oscar E. Bland, wife of Judge Bland, is entertaining today at a bridge luncheon.

Mrs. John Robert Waller, Jr., has departed for New Orleans and Florida.

Mrs. Mary Stewart, accompanied by Miss Mariette Squire, of East Orange, N. J., are stopping at the Ritz Carlton hotel in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Redwood Vandergriff, who has been a guest of her cousin, Miss Mary Jorgensen, Brooklyn, N. Y., will return today.

Mrs. Roy Lyman Neuhauser will open an exhibition of pictures at the Arts club Sunday. She will be hostess, and will have on exhibition many of her own paintings, most of them painted at Gloucester, Mass., and others here in Washington. Mrs. Neuhauser is a member of the Arts club, of Washington, a member of the Society of Washington Artists and of the Southern States Arts League.

The Wednesday morning lecture at the Carlton hotel by Mrs. Guy Ulysses Purdy has been postponed until tomorrow, because of Ash Wednesday.

Mrs. C. J. Williamson will entertain twenty guests at the lecture and the luncheon following in the garden restaurant. Among others who have made reservations are Mrs. Louis Southgate, Mrs. John W. Gulick, Mrs. Thomas Coleman, Mrs. Conger Pratt, Mrs. J. C. Fremont, Mrs. Harley P. Wilson and Mrs. Charles E. Calkins, all of whom will entertain.

Among the subscribers to the series of Wednesday morning lectures which are to be given under the auspices of Mrs. Henry F. Dimock at the Mayflower hotel at 11:30 a. m. March 9, 16, 23 and 30, are Mrs. Thomas F. Bayard, Mrs. William Kearney Carr, Mrs. McKee Dunn, Mrs. Charles S. Dewey, Mrs. Henry Fitch, Mrs. Hennen Jennings, Mrs. James R. Mann, Mrs. Lindsay Morehead, Mrs. E. D. Sanderson, Countess Szechenyi and Mr. C. Bascom Siemp.

Mrs. Gifford Pinchot has given her name as a patroness, other additional

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Officer Says.

Zamboanga, P. I., March 1 (By A. P.).—Lieut. Col. Luther H. Stevens, commander of a Philippine constabulary detachment here, returned today from Cotabato province and reported that the rebellious movement against the government by the Alangan tribe had been checked.

The officer said he conferred with Alangan leader, Alangan, was surrounded by 300 of his followers but all were conciliatory, Stevens said. The conference resulted in an agreement to the insurrection. The principal grievance of the tribesmen was that a few big datus (chiefs) had been demanding exorbitant tributes which the governor has promised to investigate.

Mapuroc, fanatic Moro leader, with about 50 followers, still is in the mountain fastnesses and is expected to be captured shortly.

Jolo, Island of Sulu, March 1 (By A. P.).—Datu Tahi, high Moro dignitary, whose recent uprising near here attracted wide attention after his wife, Princess Tarasata Kiram, figured in the developments, was arraigned today with eighteen other leaders on charges of sedition. Tahi recently was captured after having deserted his besieged followers in an improvised fort.

Calles Orders Halt at Mint.  
Mexico City, March 1 (By A. P.).—For the purpose of relieving the slump in silver, President Calles has ordered the mint to stop coining peso and half-peso coins. The slump in silver has continued for many months, causing considerable business depression. Various measures taken to revive silver have proved ineffectual.

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Milwaukee, Wis., March 1 (By A. P.).—The plan to increase the common stock from \$5,000,000 to \$8,000,000 and splitting it on a 4-to-1 basis was approved today at a meeting of the stockholders of the Bucyrus Co. A regular quarterly dividend on preferred stock of 13 1/2 per cent and a quarterly dividend of 75 cents a share on the new common stock, which is equivalent to \$3 on the old common, was authorized by the board of directors.

E. H. Steedman, St. Louis, president of the Curtis Manufacturing Co., was elected to the board of directors.

Russo-Turk Pact to Be Signed.  
Constantinople, March 1 (By A. P.).—A commercial treaty between soviet Russia and Turkey will be signed at Angora on Thursday, culminating four years of negotiations. It is hailed by the Turks as removing the only war to Russo-Turk friendship, long ruffled by the soviet's ban on Turkish imports.

Salvador President Takes Oath.  
San Salvador, Republic of Salvador, March 1 (By A. P.).—Dr. Pio Romero-Besque was inaugurated president of Salvador today with impressive ceremonies at the national palace.

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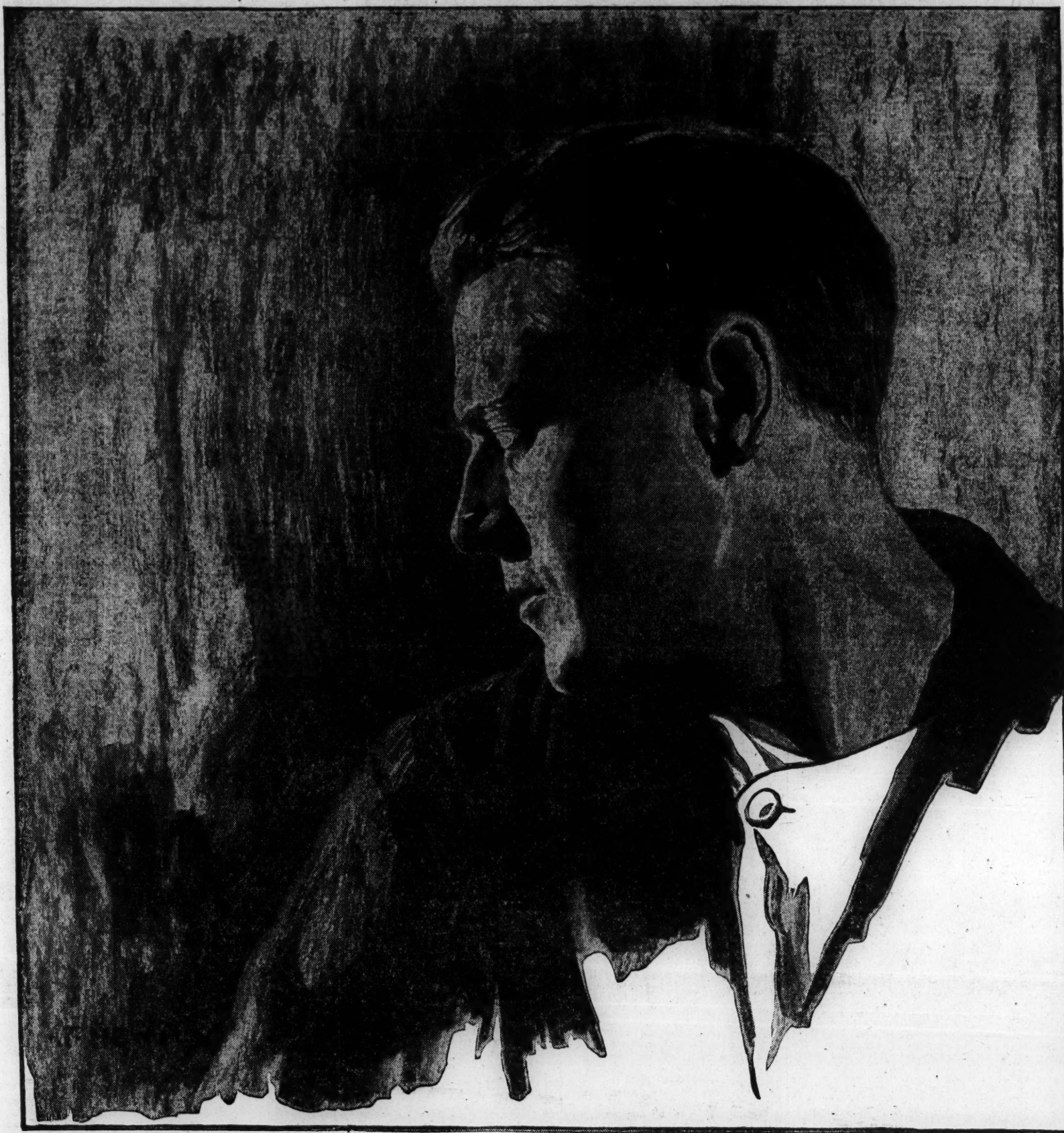
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HOPPE BEATS MATSUYAMA IN BILLIARD INAUGURAL

Nats Joined By Speaker At Tampa

Griffith Elated Over Presence of Veteran Outfielder.

Sees Banner Season Ahead; Wage Reported at \$60,000.

By FRANK H. YOUNG. TAMPA, Fla., March 1.—President Clark Griffith was a "Sunny Jim" smile tonight, and was so pleased at the arrival of Tris Speaker this afternoon that some of the Washington players were seriously thinking of striking him for a raise or a little advance money. And the former Indian chief seemed to be glad to be here, stating that he was in excellent shape, never felt better in his life, and hoped by his work with the Nationals to make Ty Cobb's "vindication" year look like 30 cents compared to his own. He will don the Washington livery in the Plant field drill tomorrow, and declares that he only needs four or five days' work to get him in tip-top shape. While neither Griffith nor Speaker will give out any information regarding the player's bonus for signing and salary, advices from New York, where the scribes know everything and admit it, are to the effect that the Nats' owner is paying the veteran fly chaser \$60,000 for this season—\$10,000 for signing and \$50,000 for his work.

There is no way of verifying this report, but Connie Mack, manager of the Athletics, who was after Tris as well as Cobb, is authority for the fact that he made Speaker an offer of more than this amount and it was turned down.

Mack and Tris always have been great friends and, according to the mouth of the White Elephants, he now has even more respect for the former Cleveland pilot.

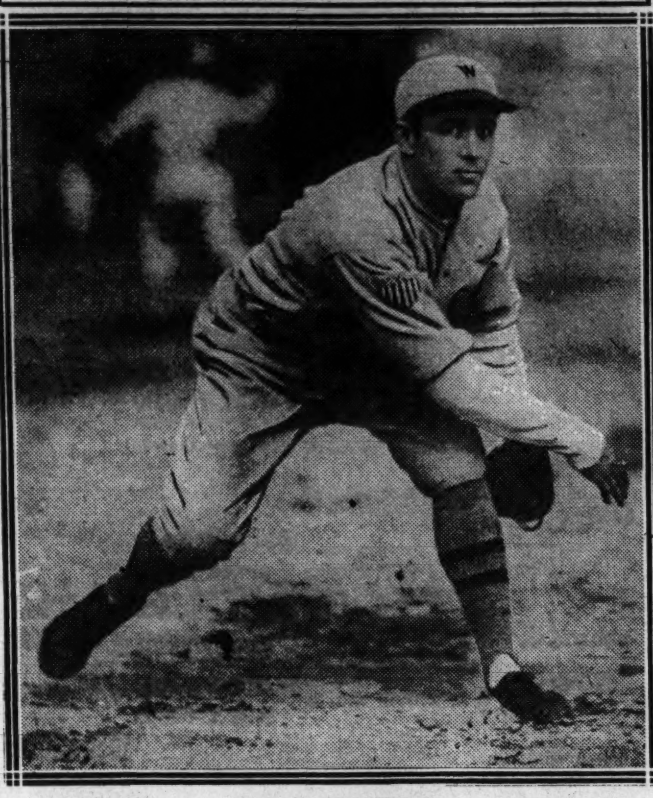
Speaking before the Rotary club here a few days ago the Quaker City manager used Speaker's case as an example of honesty among professional ball players, stating that "Tris would not consider a proposition to play with the Athletics because he had promised to work for Griffith for a less amount."

"I told him to name his own terms," said Mack, "but Speaker, then a free agent, stated he had made a proposition and, although he had not yet signed, he felt bound to do so regardless of the personal financial loss. This cost Speaker considerable money, I am sure, but it testifies to the honesty of the man."

"And, when Griffith did accept his terms, Speaker wouldn't be satisfied with merely telegraphing me or phoning me about it. He made a special trip to Philadelphia to see me about it personally. You can't make me believe that a man who would be that square would be guilty of any crookedness in baseball or anything else."

Two other travel-worn players made their appearance this morning. Outfielder Culp and McNeely drifting into camp in time to jump into a uniform and take a good workout. Culp came from his home in Madison, S. Dak., and had been traveling since Saturday, while the Earl of Sacramento came all

RIGHT-HANDER IMPRESSES HARRIS



HORACE LISENBEE.

Washington's most expensive rookie, who was obtained from the Memphis club and has shown much skill in the training at Tampa. Lisenbee was one of the leading hurlers in the Southern league last year until hurt in a collision with "Curly" Ogden, who was playing with Birmingham.

VOIGT NEARS M'TIGUE BOUT PALM BEACH TO ATTRACT BIG GATE

Washington Champ Sharkey Still Favored to Beat Irishman Tomorrow.

Special to The Washington Post. PALM BEACH, Fla., March 1.—Washington's star amateur golfer, George J. Voigt, winner of the qualifying medal, had the easiest match today in the first round of the Palm Beach championship tournament over the Country club course here. Following up his fine work of yesterday, Voigt went out this afternoon and fairly smothered K. T. Campbell, of Kansas City, Mo. The Washington player's margin was 6 up and 5 to play. Voigt was 5 up when the turn was reached, and he settled the affair with a par 4 on the fourteenth hole. George Voigt, Washington, D. C., defeated K. T. Campbell, Kansas City, 6 and 5; C. R. Cook, Jr., Boston, defeated S. F. St. Louis, 2 and 1; Ora L. Bralley, Toledo, Ohio, defeated Dunbar H. Smith, Newark, N. J., 2 and 1; Bert Edwards, Garden City, Long Island, defeated Andrew Wineman, Philadelphia, 1 up (19 holes); Harvey Saffer, New York, won by default from R. J. Douglas, Cincinnati; R. W. Rile, Albany, won by default from Capt. E. F. Carter, Chicago; Herbert R. Goss, New York, won by default from J. J. Cooper, Cincinnati.

C. U. Favored To Defeat Colonials

Game Tonight Closes Season; G. W. Five Improved.

Yearling Quintets to Meet in Preliminary Contest.

THE curtain will fall on District intercollegiate basketball tonight when the Catholic university and George Washington quintet clash in a return battle in the Colonials' gymnasium that should prove a fitting climax to the current season. Both teams have been primed especially for this engagement, and tonight's affair should provide plenty of spirited action. Catholic university, by virtue of its 22-18 victory over the Colonials in an earlier contest, is the favorite to topple the Lemon-coached crew, but George Washington of late has revealed hitherto unknown strength, downing the highly-touted American university five in decisive fashion, and capturing the last trio of games on their schedule by goodly margins. The Colonials also will be playing on their home court, a factor which will greatly heighten their confidence of winning.

Catholic university will be represented by a well-balanced combination that has worked smoothly and with machine-like precision throughout its campaign. Coach Rice will in all probability use the same five players who have held down victory berths since the start of the season.

Capt. Long and the aggressive Keale will start in forwards, with the dependable Carney at the center post, and the two clever guards, Foley and Harvey, in the back court.

Coach Lemon, of the Colonials, is well pleased by the general improvement of his charges. Goodson, who has risen to the heights of stardom in the last several tussles, is the man the Brooklanders most watch, and the baton between him and "Dull Finish" Carney should be one worthy of attention.

Sapp and Allshouse, at forwards, and Perry and Carey at guards, probably will be the other Colonial players to make a mark. Goodson is planning its hopes to come through with flying colors. Whatever the outcome, the meeting between the two teams is certain to be a battle from start to finish.

Authorities handling the game are endeavoring to obtain the services of Joe Eiling, former coach of Columbia university, to referee the contest. The two teams are expected to meet in a preliminary game at 8 o'clock, and the main event will start promptly at 7:15, with the main clash following immediately afterward.

Green Defeats Hissey In Scanlon's Tourney

In last night's play of the Scanlon pocket-billiard tourney, Green defeated Hissey, 100 to 87. Green meets Martin tonight at 8 o'clock. Willie Lewis, former Pennsylvania State champion, refereed the match and gave an exhibition of fancy shots. He will be on hand tonight.

Sloughing Charges Rampant in Hockey

New York, March 1 (By A. P.).—Professional hockey sharpened skates today to chase rumor through the league of "sloughing" games. The season is on the open season of alleged fixed contests, the National Hockey circuit greeted with prompt denials a report that last Saturday's match between the Ottawa Senators and New York Americans was "sloughed" to the Gotham sextet. The Americans won the game, 3 to 2, after 16 seconds of overtime play.

Devitt Prep Leaves For Tournament Play

The Devitt squad of nine players, Coach Kop and Manager Moulden, will entrain this morning for Lexington, Va., to compete in the fourth annual scholastic tournament, to be held under auspices of the Washington and Lee university. Many of the leading school quintets of Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina and West Virginia are entered in the tournament, with practically the entire section represented.

The following Devitt players will make the trip: Barclow, Moyna, Hutchison, Bastable, Elkovic, Boyd, Kennedy, Byng and Fisher.

BASKETBALL STATISTICS

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	12	1	.923
Washington	7	1	.875
Fort Wayne	6	5	.545
Philadelphia	4	4	.500
Cleveland	5	6	.455
Baltimore	4	5	.444
Rochester	5	8	.384
Chicago	1	10	.091

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS. New York, 39; Philadelphia, 33. Fort Wayne, 35; Rochester, 18. TONIGHT'S GAME. Rochester at Chicago.

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Ruth Firm In Demanding \$100,000 Salary for Year

Will Accept No Compromise, Babe Says on Way East; Denies Klieg Lights Hurt Eyes; Weighs 221 Pounds.

CHICAGO, March 1 (By A. P.).—George Herman Ruth, the well-known human being, will accept no compromise on his \$100,000 salary demand for the 1927 season when he engages Col. Jacob Ruppert, owner of the Yankees, in New York tomorrow to discuss the problem. The big bam, the big slam and a few things of baseball, club that this information today as he arrived from Hollywood and boarded the Twentieth Century Limited an hour and a half later.

"There is nothing else for me to say," Ruth said. "Either I get it or I don't. I have asked for \$100,000. I see no reason why I should accept less."

Other members of Ruth's party, however, indicated that Babe, if offered a compromise of \$85,000 a year, placing him on an equal with Kenesaw Landis, commissioner of baseball, might be disposed to refuse it.

Ruth went through a rigid inspection for traces of klieg eyes, although none of his interviewers knew a klieg eye from a black eye.

The Babe took the situation good-naturedly, laughing off the view of the officials of the New York club that Babe's weight under the glare of the klieg lights of Hollywood might have put an unusual strain on his eyes.

"That," said Mr. Ruth, "is a lot of bologna. You know this is my second moving picture venture. The lights do not affect my eyes. I will be able to see 'em when the season rolls around, as I always have."

Artie McGovern, Ruth's personal trainer, said the Yankee was in condition to report at the training camp any time.

Palace Beats Orioles, 34-26, at Hagerstown

Hagerstown, Md., March 1.—Washington's Palace batters gave a Hagerstown audience a convincing demonstration here tonight when Beckman and Thomas went on a scoring rampage, but the Washington defense tightened in time to keep the Marylanders at a safe distance.

Elmer Ripley, acting manager, got the Capital machine going in the first inning from the start, and the Orioles trailed at half time, 20 to 10. The margin was down in the early minutes of the second when Beckman and Thomas went on a scoring rampage, but the Washington defense tightened in time to keep the Marylanders at a safe distance.

Baltimore seemed ready to do anything but play basketball, at times the fans giving Johnny Beckman and his playmates the old razz as a result. Beckie finally let fly with a couple of circus shots and thereafter the fans let him alone.

Washington. GFGP Baltimore. GFGP Saunders, 4, 0 1 2 Beckman, 1, 0 0 0 Glascock, 1, 0 0 2 Macaulough, 1, 0 0 2 Logan, 1, 0 0 0 Ellington, 1, 0 0 0 Xanth, 1, 0 0 2 Pennington, 1, 0 0 4 King, 1, 0 0 0 Gagnett, 1, 0 0 0 Kearn, 1, 0 0 0 Burch, 1, 0 0 0 DeLisio, 1, 0 0 0 Lifford, 1, 0 0 0 Leysing, 1, 0 0 0 Newcomb, 1, 0 0 0 Clifford, 1, 0 0 2 Totals 11 5 30 Totals 9 8 26

Y.M.C.A. Jr. Tossers Beat Pontiacs, 40-25

The Y. M. C. A. Juniors defeated the Pontiacs last night, 40 to 25. Glascock and Pennington started. Y.M.C.A. Jr. GFGP Pontiacs. GFGP Glascock, 1, 0 0 2 Macaulough, 1, 0 0 2 Logan, 1, 0 0 0 Ellington, 1, 0 0 0 Xanth, 1, 0 0 2 Pennington, 1, 0 0 4 King, 1, 0 0 0 Gagnett, 1, 0 0 0 Kearn, 1, 0 0 0 Burch, 1, 0 0 0 DeLisio, 1, 0 0 0 Lifford, 1, 0 0 0 Leysing, 1, 0 0 0 Newcomb, 1, 0 0 0 Clifford, 1, 0 0 2 Totals 11 5 30 Totals 9 8 26

Fort Myer Seniors Stop Tremonts, 51-26

Warming up for the South Atlantic A. A. U. tournament, the Fort Myer Seniors defeated the Tremonts last night, 51 to 26. Underwood and Berger starred. For games with the Fort Myer Seniors, call Manager Underwood at West 2000, branch 25.

Fort Myer. GFGP Tremonts. GFGP Underwood, 1, 0 1 2 Willard, 1, 0 0 4 DeLisio, 1, 0 0 0 Berger, 1, 0 0 0 Brown, 1, 0 0 0 J. Hillery, 1, 0 0 0 Clango, 1, 0 0 4 Cunningham, 1, 0 0 2 McQueney, 1, 0 0 0 Totals 25 15 1 Totals 11 4 26

Commercial Retains Bankers League Lead

Stanton's eye for the basket, coupled with the excellent work of Curtis, enabled the Commercial National Bank team to hold the lead in the Bankers league by defeating the American Security and Trust 25 to 18.

Com. Nat. Bk. GFGP Amer. Sec. & Tr. GFGP Shuckels, 1, 0 0 0 Restorff, 1, 0 0 2 H. Hillery, 1, 0 0 0 Pepp, 1, 0 0 1 Stanton, 1, 0 0 2 Howard, 1, 0 0 2 Radin, 1, 0 0 0 Moore, 1, 0 0 0 Nees, 1, 0 0 0 Hight, 1, 0 0 2 Grandall, 1, 0 0 0 Totals 11 4 26 Totals 9 8 26

Cue Champion Wins First Match

Japanese Star Rallies But Drops Decision, 400 to 386.

Cochran-Matsuyama, Horemans-Grange to Play Today.

WILLIE HOPPE, world's 18.2 ball-line billiard champion, emerged victoriously from the first match in defense of his title last night against Kirey Matsuyama, champion of Japan, 400 to 386. The victory came only after Hoppe had been given a most thorough scare by his diminutive opponent.

Washington fans to the number of 1,000 at the Arcadia greeted its first major billiard tournament with enthusiasm, maintaining silence while the play was on, but bursting into loud applause at the conclusion of any particularly brilliant work. The midget Japanese player was cheered roundly as he reeled off his good run, and made a hit with his youthful but businesslike appearance as he faced the great master undefeated.

Matsuyama will oppose Welker Cochran, American star, in the afternoon match today at 2:15, while tonight's encounter will bring together Felix Grange, European titleholder, and Edouard Horemans, Belgian champion and former national champion.

Leading 363 to 139 as Matsuyama started the fifteenth inning, the title holder appeared to have the game tucked away, and many in the crowd of 1,000 spectators rose to leave, thinking the match a sure win for Hoppe. The Japanese, however, clicked off the run of 129, the high mark for the evening, and as Hoppe faltered with runs of 2, 8, and 26 reeled off 18, 35 and 63 to come within 14 points of the 400 needed.

from running out in his eighteenth inning, and gave the Japanese titleholder his chance to defeat the champion. Matsuyama was unequal to the occasion, however, and the indomitable Hoppe, his crown fairly tottering, shot a difficult three-cushion for the final point.

In justice to Hoppe it must be said that he was in apparent poor form, with his 21-19 average for the nineteen innings shows, but in justice to Matsuyama it might be said that he was having all the worst of the break, innumerable bad alignments and klieg shots.

Matsuyama won the bank, freezing the game.

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